

# SOMANHIS

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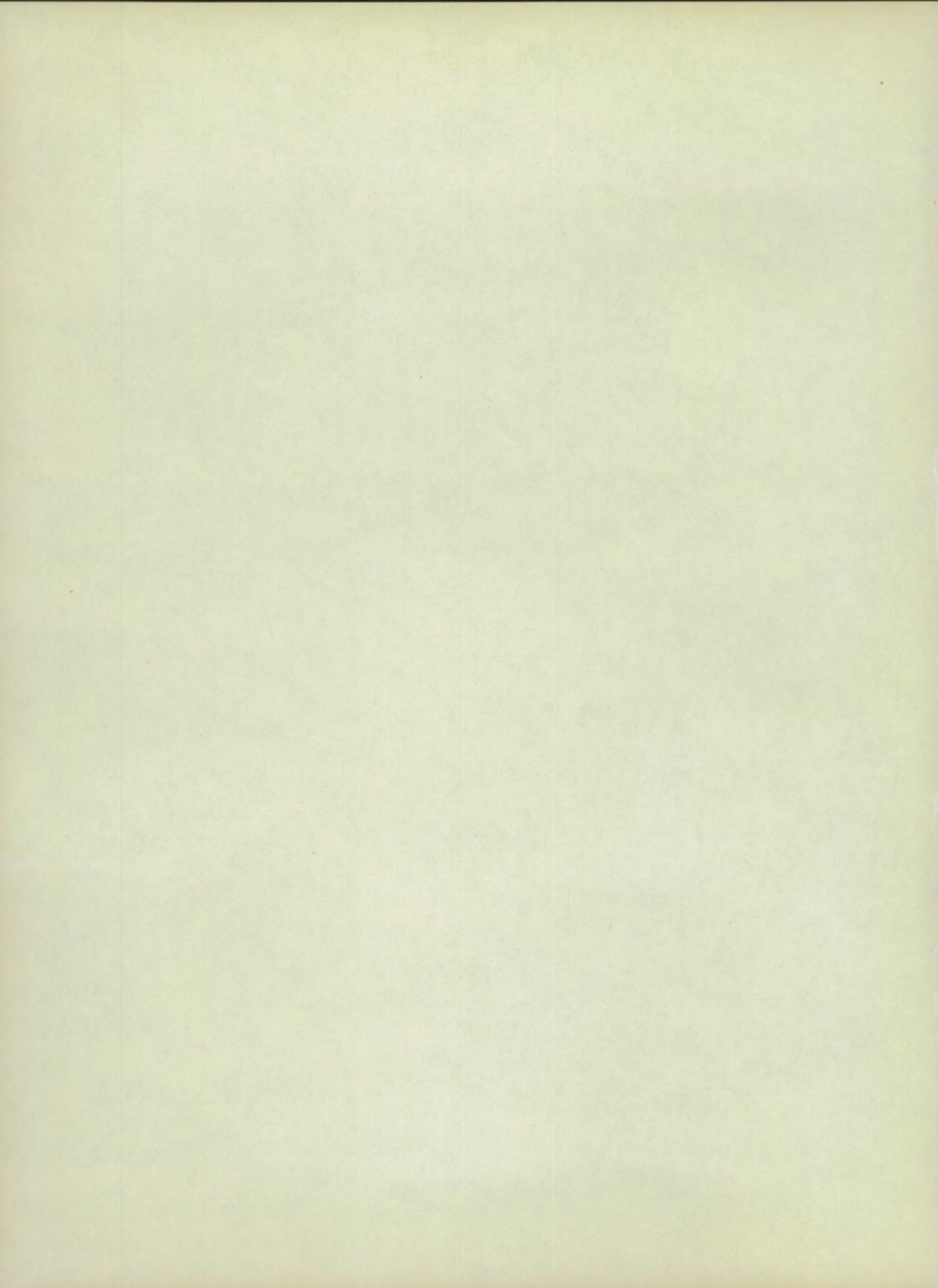
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1940A AND 1940B

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## FOREWORD

FOR A QUARTER OF A CENTURY  
*SOMANHIS* HAS RECALLED THE  
HIGH SCHOOL ACTIVITIES OF  
GRADUATING CLASSES AT THE  
MANCHESTER HIGH SCHOOL.  
IN FUTURE YEARS, MAY THIS  
*SOMANHIS* CONTINUE TO UNFOLD  
TO US FAMILIAR SCENES AND  
FRIENDLY ACQUAINTANCES OF  
OUR HIGH SCHOOL YEARS.







THOMAS KELLEY

## DEDICATION

THE CLASSES OF 1940A AND 1940B DEDICATE THEIR *SOMANHIS* TO MR. THOMAS KELLEY, WHOSE UNTIRING EFFORTS IN THE WORLD OF SCIENCE AND WHOSE ABLE LEADERSHIP IN THE FIELD OF SPORTS HAS WON OUR LASTING APPRECIATION. HIS SYMPATHETIC UNDERSTANDING AND INTEREST IN STUDENT ACTIVITIES HAVE DEEPLY ENRICHED OUR SCHOOL LIFE.







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Manchester, Alma Mater,  
All hail, all hail to thee!  
Thy precepts e'er shall guide us  
Onward to victory.  
Thy sons and daughters ever  
Thy praises loud shall sing,  
Manchester, Alma Mater,  
Accept our offering.

We love thee, old Manchester  
And for the red and white  
Where e'er life's battle finds us,  
We'll always win the fight.  
We'll ever guard thy honor;  
Bright shall thy mem'ry be.  
Manchester, Alma Mater,  
All hail, all hail to thee!





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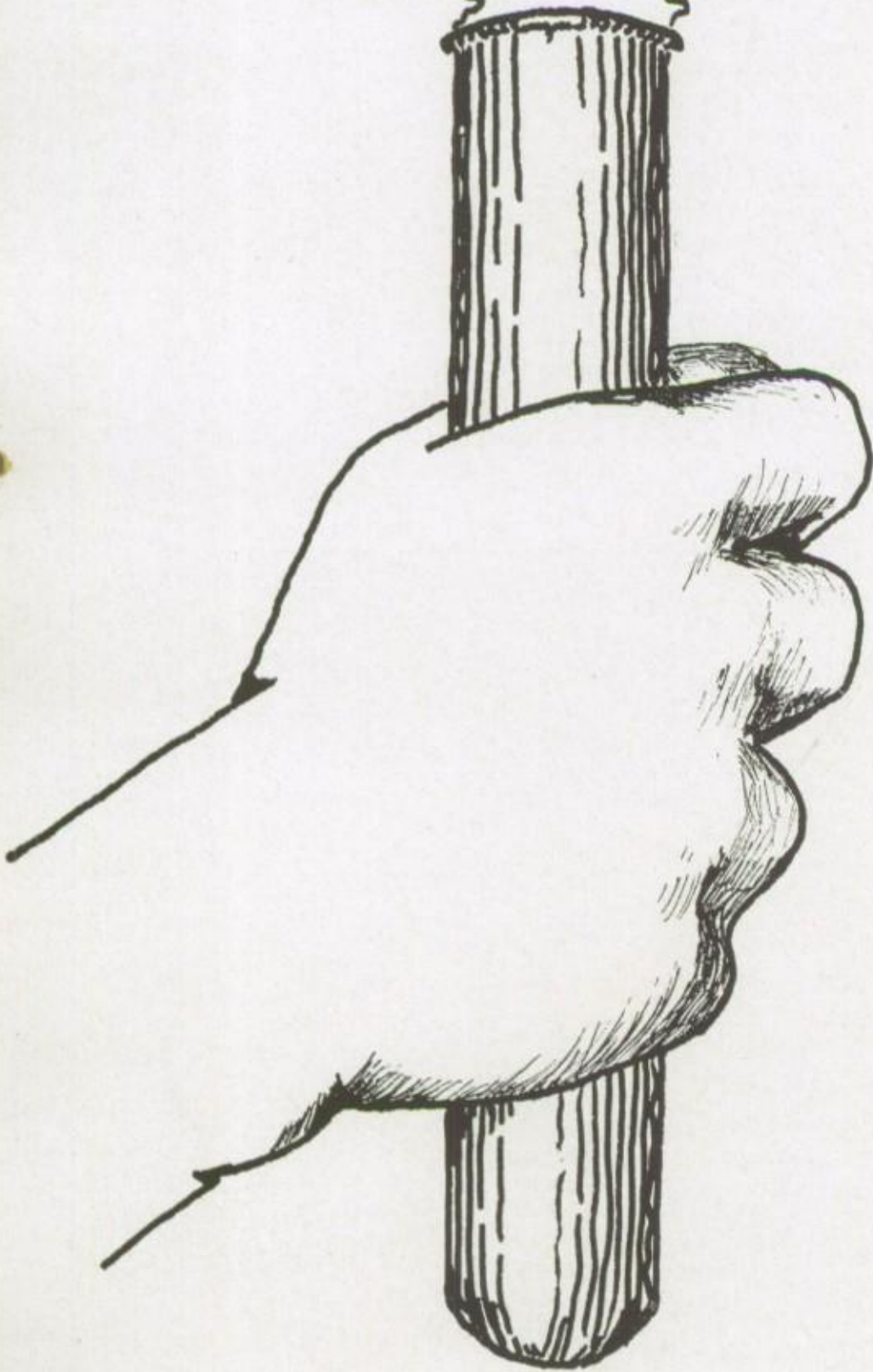
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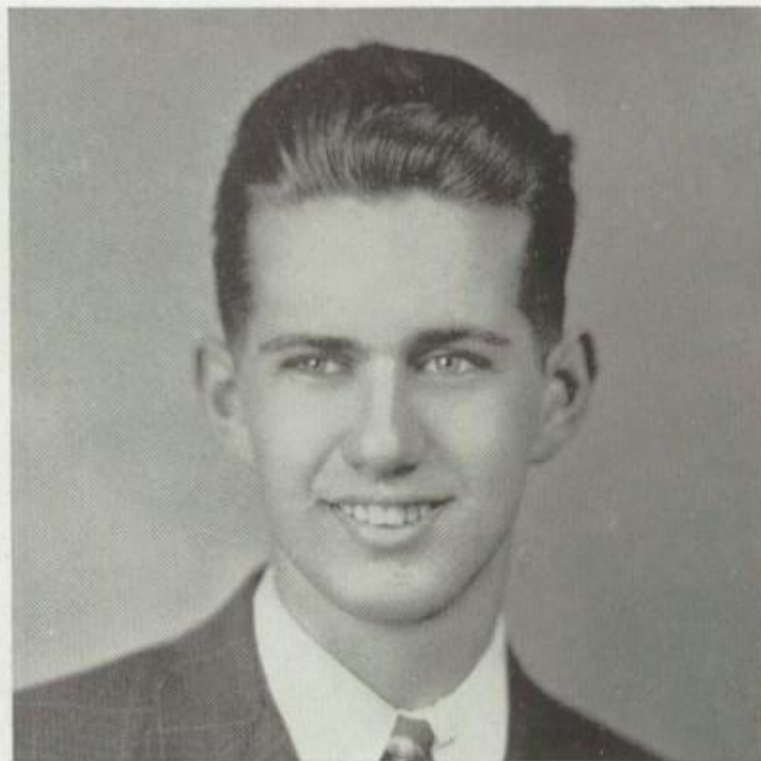




ROBERT LORCH—*President 1940A*

1940A MOTTO

*"Qualitas Non Quantitas."*  
*"Quality Not Quantity."*



MICHAEL WEISS—*President 1940B*

1940B MOTTO

*"Non Nobis Solum."*  
*"Not for ourselves alone."*



1940B



## CLASS OF 1940 A

ANNA MAE ACKERMAN

*"Ann"*

*"In friendship I was taught  
early to believe."*

World Staff 3, 4; Basketball  
1, 2; Girl Reserves 4; Com-  
mercial Club 2, 3, 4; Short-  
hand Speed Club 4; Typing  
Speed Club 4.



RITA MARY BALMER

*"We're born to be happy, all  
of us."*

Art Club 3, 4; Commercial  
Club 3, 4; Shorthand Speed  
Club 4; Basketball 1, 3, 4;  
Soccer 2, 4; Girls' Leaders  
Class 4; Volley ball 2, 3, 4;  
Reception Committee; Honor  
Student.

MARY JANE ACKERMAN

*"Jane"*

*"Nothing great is ever achieved  
without enthusiasm."*

SOMANHIS Staff 3, 4; Basket-  
ball 1, 4; Tennis 3, 4;  
Leaders Class 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Volley ball 3; Life Saving 3;  
Paint and Powder 2; A Cap-  
pella Choir I 3, 4; French  
Club 3; Reception Com-  
mittee.



ALICE BEATRICE  
BARLOW

*"Al"*

*"Now the red wins upon her  
cheek, now white with crim-  
son closes."*

Art Club 3, 4; Volley ball 2;  
Commercial Club 3, 4;  
Shorthand Speed Club 4;  
Soccer 1, 2; Basketball 1, 2,  
3; Hockey 3, 4; Prophecy  
Committee.

GUERINO AGOSTINELLI

*"Mungo"*

*"He does not only find the  
jest but the laugh too."*

Soccer 4; Baseball 3.



GRACE MARIAN  
BENSON

*"Gracie"*

*"Merit and good breeding will  
make their way everywhere."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Chorus 1,  
2; A Cappella Choir II 3,  
4; A Cappella I 3, 4; French  
Club 3; Basketball 2, 3;  
Leaders Class 1, 2, 3; Paint  
and Powder 2; Hockey 2, 3;  
Will Committee; Co-Saluta-  
torian.

MARIAN AKRIGG

*"Behind the curtains' mystic  
fold the lowing future lies  
unrolled."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Sock and  
Buskin 3, 4; Paint and  
Powder 1, 2; Chorus 1, 2; A  
Cappella Choir I 3, 4; Crafts  
Club 3, 4; Leaders Class 2,  
3, 4; Volley ball 1, 2; Life  
Saving 3, 4; Reception  
Committee.



ERIS MARIANNE  
CARLSON

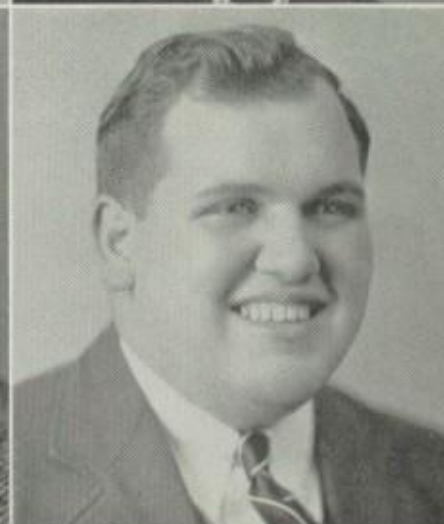
*"I have a heart with room for  
every joy."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Volley  
ball 3; Chorus 2; A Cap-  
pella Choir I 4; Girl Re-  
serves 3, 4; Commercial  
Club 3, 4; Typing Speed  
Club 4; Class Secretary 1;  
French Club 3, 4; History  
Committee; Student Council  
2; Honor Student.

FRANCIS WARREN  
ANDERSON

*"Let them call it mischief,  
When it is past and prospered  
'twill be virtue."*

Cross Country 1, 2; Inter-  
class Track 1; Prophecy  
Committee.



ANTHONY FRANCIS  
CHERUBINI

*"Cherub"*

*"Those athletic men whom, de-  
servedly, we call heroes."*

Football 3, 4.



HARRIET NORA  
CLAUSON

*"There is no satisfaction in any good without a companion."*

World Staff 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Short-hand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



JOSEPH ANTHONY DE  
SIMONE

*"Joe"*

*"He'll play a small game rather than stand out."*

Football 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Prophecy Committee.

HENRY COLEMAN

*"A silent, shy, peace-loving man, he seemed no fiery partisan."*

World Staff 3; Chorus 1, 2; Commercial Club 3; Debating Club 3; Biology Club 3; Reception Committee; Honor Student.



DORIS ELIZABETH  
DICKSON

*"The more a woman knows the more worthy she is."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 2, 3, 4; World Staff 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed Club 4; Will Committee; Honor Student.

GEORGE NEWTON  
CONVERSE

*"Lanky"*

*"Wit is a jewel."*

Football 3; Soccer 1, 2; Swimming 2; Track 1, 4; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella I 3; A Cappella II 4; Gift Committee.



ROBERT ARTHUR  
DOGGART

*"Bull"*

*"Anybody can be a follower, but it takes a real man to be a leader."*

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; President 4; Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Class President 1; Prophecy Committee; Honor Student.

CHARLES CUSTER

*"Gayly the troubadour blew his saxophone."*

Orchestra 1, 2, 3; Band 1, 3.



PHILLIP ELLIOTT

*"Phil"*

*"The happiest heart that ever beat."*

Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Track 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 2; Cheer Leader 2, 3.

GLORIA DOLORES  
DELLA FERA

*"Shorty"*

*"A modern girl with big brown eyes, and personality twice her size."*

Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3; A Cappella I 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Club 4; Prophecy Committee; Honor Student.



JANE MARIE FINLAY

*"J'Ree"*

*"Happiness seems made to be shared."*

Commercial Club 2, 3; Pep Club 2; Home Economics Club 4.



# CLARA MARY FISH

*"'Twas her thinking of others  
made her think of you."*

Commercial Club 3, 4; Soccer 2; Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Volley ball 2, 3; Home Economics Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Gift Committee.



# VICTOR HAUGH

*"Vic"*

*"The present fashion is always  
handsome."*

Commercial Club 4; Soccer 4; Gift Committee.

# DONALD FISHER

*"Don"*

*"Each mind has its own  
method."*

SOMANHS Staff 4; French Club 1, 2; Commercial Club 3; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Will Committee; Honor Student.



# MYRTIS FLORENCE HORTON

*"Myrt"*

*"Silence is more eloquent than  
words."*

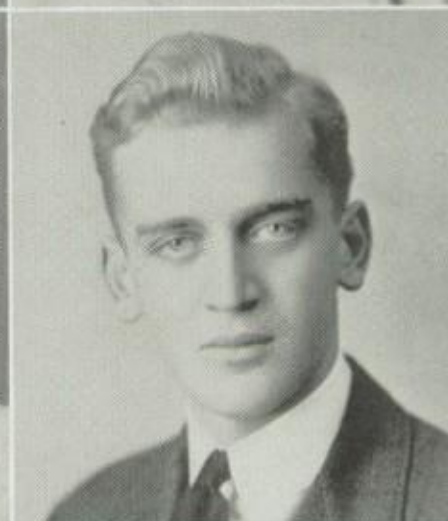
Girl Reserves 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 4.

# ROSE THERESA FRACCHIA

*"Ro"*

*"Let not your heart be  
troubled."*

Commercial Club 3; Biology 3, 4; Home Economics Club 4.



# ROBERT MARTIN HULTMAN

*"Bob"*

*"I'll be merry and free; I'll  
be sad for no one."*

Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2; Pep Club 1, 2; Inter-class Basketball 2; History Committee.

# HELEN HABERERN

*"Our content is our best  
having."*

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Basketball 1; Soccer 1; Hockey 1.



# JOHN MARTIN HYDE

*"Johnny"*

*"Better a mischief than an in-  
convenience."*

Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir II 3; A Cappella Choir I 4; Rifle Club 1, 2; Class President 2; Class Secretary 3; Hockey 3, 4; Soccer 2; Manager 2; Gift Committee.

# EDNA LOUISE HADDEN

*"Her every thought is sincere."*

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 4; Girl Reserves 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; History Committee; Honor Student.



# RAGNAR ALFRED JOHNSON

*"Raggie"*

*"Keep up your spirit."*

Inter-class Basketball 2; Inter-class Track 3; Commercial Club 1, 2; Pep Club 2; Hockey 3, 4; Reception Committee.



RAYMOND JOHNSON

"Ray"

"Mirth prolongeth life and causeth health."



FRED KEISH

"Fitz"

"Personality is to a man what perfume is to a flower."

Football 3, 4; Soccer 1, 2; Swimming 1, 2; Track 2, 3, 4; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Chorus 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; French Club 1; Commercial Club 2; Debating Club 2; Biology Club 2; Will Committee.



ANNA KUTZ

"The glass of fashion and the mould of form, the observed of all observers."

A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2; Art Club 2, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Volleyball 2, 3; Life Saving 3, 4; Class Treasurer 3; History Committee; Co-Salutatorian.



HOWARD KWASH

"Machinery is the subconscious mind of the world."



ANNABELLE LEE

"Anne"

"A merry heart maketh a cheerful countenance."

Biology Club 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Gift Committee; Honor Student.



HELEN IRENE LEONE

"Shorty"

"A little, tiny, witty, pretty darling."

Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 4; Biology Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Gift Committee.



BARBARA RUTH LITTLE

"Chickie"

"I am a woman, I needs must speak."

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir II 3; A Cappella Choir I 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2.



JESSIE LITTLE

"Jess"

"She is a gallant creature and complete in mind and feature."

Soccer 3; Volleyball 3; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; Basketball 3; Life Saving 3, 4; French Club 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Art Club 3, 4; World Staff 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Class Vice President 1, 3; Class Secretary 2; Will Committee; Valedictorian.



WARREN KENNETH LITTLE

"Ken"

"Stodious of ease, and fond of humble things."



ROBERT CARLTON LORCH

"Corch"

"Under my guidance let ship and crew run straight."

Student Council 1, 2; Football 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4; Rifle Club 1, 2; Class Treasurer 2; Class President 3, 4; Reception Committee.





ROBERT MADDEN

"Bob"

*"Opinion is the genius and foundation of all temporal happiness."*

Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Cast of "You Can't Take It With You"; Paint and Powder 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; Debating Club 2, 3; Biology Club 1, 2, 3; Will Committee.



BARBARA MILLICENT PETERSON

"Pete"

*"Happiness is a habit."*

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Prophecy Committee.

ROBERT McCORMICK

"Mac"

*"A gentleman and a scholar."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Paint and Powder 2; World Staff 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; French Club 3, 4; Debating Club 2, 3, 4; Chess Club 4; History Committee; Baseball Manager 4; Honor Student.



DOROTHY FLORENCE PLITT

"Dot"

*"The ideal of courtesy, wit, grace, and charm."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Volley ball 3; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir II 3; A Cappella Choir I 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Hockey 3; Prophecy Committee; Honor Student.

ANTHONY McCRUDEN

"Andy"

*"Contentment is wealth."*

Soccer 3; Swimming 1, 2; Inter-class Basketball 1; Track 1, 2.



ROBERT HENRY SMITH

"Bob"

*"Observation brings wisdom."*

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 4; Rifle Club 2.

EVELYN MURIEL McDONNELL

"Evie"

*"A smile in her eye."*

Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3; Volley ball 2; Girl Reserves 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2.



RUTH VERA SMITH

"Vee"

*"Kindness is the sunshine in which virtue grows."*

Chorus 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Typing Speed Club 4.

WALTER PERINE

"Walt"

*"Perpetual modernness is the measure of merit in every work of art."*



SOPHIE SOKOLOWSKA

"Soph"

*"Obedience is the key to every door."*

Soccer 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 2, 3, 4; Chorus 2, 3; A Cappella Choir I 4; Pep Club 1, 2.



EDWIN STRATTON

"Eddie"

*"Everyone is happy who dances."*

Student Council 1, 4; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 4, Biology Club 2, 3; Rifle Club 2; A Cappella Choir II 3; Class Treasurer 1; Reception Committee.



FRANCIS TOMAN

"Beouf"

*"Each man has his own place."*

MILTON WARREN  
STRATTON

"Milt"

*"A true friend is forever a friend."*

Inter-class Basketball 1, 2, 3; Inter-class Track 3, 4; Commercial Club 1; Pep Club 1, 2; Hockey 2, 3, 4; History Committee.



MARGARETE CATH-  
ERINE TUREK

"Marge"

*"Be merry and be wise."*

Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Soccer 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Girls' Leaders Class 4; Volley ball 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; French Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Class Secretary 4; Gift Committee; Honor Student.

CATHERINE THERISA  
SULLIVAN

"Kay"

*"Neat, not gaudy."*

Commercial Club 2, 3; Library Club 4; Student Librarian 4.



GORDON VENNARD

"Gordy"

*"Leisure is the best of all possessions."*

Inter-class Basketball 2; French Club 1; Pep Club 1, 2; Manager of Basketball Team 3, 4; Gift Committee.

HAROLD RAYMOND  
SYMINGTON

"Sy"

*"A civil habit oft' covers a good man."*

Paint and Powder 1, 2; A Cappella Choir II 3; A Cappella Choir I 4; Inter-class Basketball 1, 2; Reception Committee.



GRACE VIOLA WALKER

"Gracie"

*"Glides the smooth current of domestic joy."*

Commercial Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 4.

WILLIAM JOSEPH  
TIERNEY

"Zeke"

*"Great thoughts, like great deeds, need no trumpets."*

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.



ORVILLE WHITNEY

"Whit"

*"Sing, maestro, sing us now a tender song."*

Football 1, 4; Basketball 1; Track 2, 3, 4; Student Council 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Inter-class Basketball 2; Inter-class Track 2, 3; History Committee.





JOHN GEORGE WILSON

*"Johnny"*

*"To love the game beyond the prize."*

Football 3; Basketball 2, 3;  
Inter-class Basketball 1;  
Baseball 2, 3; Inter-class  
Track 1, 2, 3; Hi-Y 3, 4;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Class Treasurer 4; Will Committee.



ROBERT REED

*"A friend is a person with whom I may be sincere; before him I may think aloud."*

Baseball 3; Basketball Trade School 3.



MARIE HELEN WURTZ

*"Mickey"*

*"She is always laughing, for she has a great deal of wit."*

Soccer 2, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 2, 3, 4; A Cappella Choir II 3; A Cappella Choir I 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Class Vice President 2, 4; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4; History Committee; Honor Student.

EUGENE CARINI

*"Good will is the mightiest practical force in the universe."*



FRANCES MARIE ZITO

*"Franny"*

*"A faithful friend is the medium of life."*

Volley ball 2; Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Will Committee.

## CLASS SONG OF 1940A

(Words and music by Donald Fisher and Robert Lorch)

You helped us on our way,  
You have the torch  
Ours now to hold on high,  
Ours to do or die.

Oh, in this world of strife  
We will make our way,  
On down the path of life  
We go today.

We bid thee fond adieu  
Aft' four short years  
Oh, high school of our hearts  
Our hopes, our joys, our tears.

True to thy memories  
We will ever be.  
Guide to our destinies,  
Manchester High.



## CLASS OF 1940B

JEANNETTE LORRAINE  
ALDEN

"Jay"

"Golden hair like sunlight  
streaming on the marble of her  
shoulders."

Paint and Powder 2; Cast  
of "Cold Water and Cash";  
Girl Reserves 3, 4; French  
Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club  
3; Student Librarian 3; Pep  
Club 1, 2; Honor Student.



JULIA MAY BALCHUNAS

"Judy"

"Conversation is always femi-  
nine."

World Staff 1.

MARY PERRY  
AMBULOS

"A sunshine heart and a soul  
of song.  
Love, not hate, and right, not  
wrong."

Girl Reserves 4; Commer-  
cial Club 2, 3, 4; Debating  
Club 1; Hockey 2.



CATHERINE ROSE  
BARRETT

"Kay" "Kitty"

"We are contented because we  
are happy."

Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Shorthand  
Speed Club 4.

LAURA PAULINE  
ANDISIO

"Diz"

"Friendship is golden."

A Cappella Choir II 3; Girl  
Reserves 2, 3, 4; President  
3, 4; French Club 3; Debat-  
ing Club 1; Secretary 1;  
Home Economics Club 4;  
Class Vice President 4;  
Prophecy Committee.



ANN THERESA BARRY

"Little Bit"

"Here stand I, small and trim,  
quick of thought, though little  
of limb."

Soccer 3; Girls' Leaders  
Class 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; A  
Cappella Choir II 3; A Cap-  
pella Choir I 4; Girl Re-  
serves 2, 3, 4; Secretary  
4; Pep Club 1, 2; Hockey 3;  
Will Committee.

HILDA JUNE ANNIS

"Silently she goes her way."

Chorus 1, 2, 3; A Cappella  
Choir II 4.



MARGUERITE CECILIA  
BARRY

"Meg"

"Ambition has no rest."

Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Sec-  
retary 4; Cast of: "Black  
Flamingo", "You Can't Take  
It With You"; Paint and  
Powder 2; Student Council  
2, 3, 4; Secretary 3, Vice  
President 4; World Staff 2,  
3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; French  
Club 2; History Committee;  
Honor Student.

ANNE ALICE BACKUS

"Backy"

"A pleasing person is always a  
desired person."

Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4; Com-  
mercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep  
Club 2.



GERTRUDE BAUSOLA

"Buzzie"

"A hustling energetic sort, a  
lively friend, and a rare good  
sport."



MARGARET MARY  
BEATTIE  
"Bea"

*"A merry heart goes all the day."*

Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Student Librarian 2.



JAMES BIGGERSTAFF  
"Jim" "Jimmy"

*"To do easy what is hard for others is a mark of talent."*

Intramural Basketball 4; Chess Club 4; Honor Student.

NATALIE BECCIO  
"Nat"

*"The light of midnight's starry heaven  
Is in those radiant eyes."*

French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



CYRUS BLANCHARD  
"Cy"

*"And in the field of sports, we vie to gain a laurel more."*

Football 3, 4; Basketball 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4.

GORDON BELL  
"Ding"

*"Make haste slowly."*

Football (inter-department) T. S. 3.



RUTH MARGARET  
BLOODGOOD  
"Penny"

*"A careful felicity of style."*

French Club 4; Commercial Club 3; Art Club 3, 4.

GEORGE ERNEST  
BENSCHKE

*"A laugh is worth a groan in any market."*

World Staff 3, 4; French Club 1, 2, 3; Crafts Club 2, 3, 4.



MARY ALBERTA  
BOWEN  
"Bowens"

*"And she spoke in a monstrous little voice."*

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Student Librarian 2; Home Economics Club 4.

MARION BENTLEY

*"Steady of heart and a true friend."*

Honor Student.



JOHN EDWARD BREEN  
"Smokey Joe"

*"A mighty spirit fills that little frame."*

Football 2, 3, 4; Manager 4; Hi-Y 4; Commercial Club 4; Prophecy Committee.



MARGARET BROSNAN

"Peggy"

"All succeed with people who are of a cheerful disposition."

Debating Club 1; French Club 2, 4; Girl Reserves 4; Crafts Club 4; Vice President 4; Honor Student.



JOHN FRANCIS BUCKLEY

BUCKLEY

"Buck" "Red"

"Men of few words are the best of men."

SCMANHIS Staff 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Inter-class Basketball 1; Chorus 2; Art Club 2; Band 3; Hockey 3; Commercial Club 4.

EUNICE BROWN

"Eunie"

"Herein is revealed the most manifest sign of wisdom, a continued cheerful disposition."

Pep Club 2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.



ANNA BUSKY

"Ann"

"Her every thought sincere."

Honor Student.

ELWOOD BUCHER

"Spud"

"Good nature and good sense must ever join."

Soccer 3, 4.



IRENE MARIE BUYSSE

"I"

"Doing well her daily tasks, Never fickle praising asks."

French Club 2, 3; World Staff 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.

ESKEL KEENEY BUCKLAND

"Skee"

"He who sings frightens away his ills."

Student Council 1; Chorus 1; French Club 1; Pep Club 1; Rifle Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Debating Club 2, 3; Tennis 3, 4; Golf 4; Chess Club 4; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Cast of: "Black Flamingo", "You Can't Take It With You."



LOIS ANN CALLIS

"Butch"

"A bundle of mischief and an ocean of smiles."

Chorus 1; Pep Club 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Cheer Leader 2; Volley ball 3; Soft Ball 3; Commercial Club 4; Home Economics Club 4; Leaders Class 4.

FRANCES PETERNELLA BUCKLER

"Frannie"

"To be little is no disgrace—just a little inconvenient."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; Home Economics Club 4.



WILLIAM EARL CALVERT

"Cal"

"Never his gaze on women spent."

Pep Club 1; Rifle Club 1, 2; Inter-class Basketball 1; Chorus 2; Art Club 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4.



# CHARLES CANNON

*"The faithful study of the liberal arts humanizes character."*

French Club 4; Honor Student.



# KINGSLEY CARPENTER

*"King"*

*"Everything comes if a man only waits."*

Football 2; French Club 2, 3; Rifle Club 1.

# GEORGE CAPWELL

*"Cap" "Cappie"*

*"Time will explain it all. He is a talker and needs no questioning before he speaks."*

French Club 1; Pep Club 1, 2; Chess Club 4; Inter-class Track 1.



# BARBARA CAROLINE CARTER

*"Bobbie" "Barb"*

*"She is clever, she is wise, but there is mischief in her eyes."*

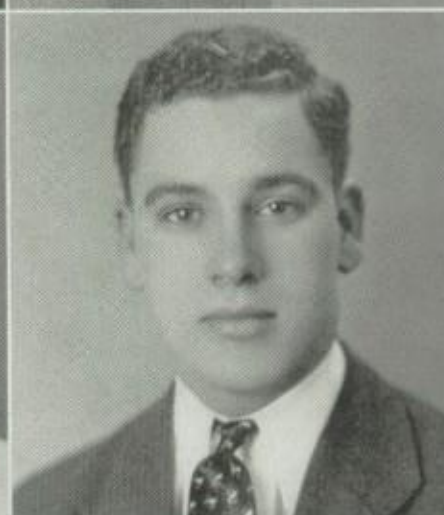
SOMANHS Staff 4; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Student Librarian 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.

# EVELYN CARLSON

*"Evie"*

*"She speaks, behaves, and acts just as she ought."*

Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 2; Student Council 2; Girl Reserves 4; Honor Student.



# JOHN FRANCIS CERVINI

*"Hardeye"*

*"A fellow of infinite jest."*

Cross Country 1, 2, 3, 4; Track 2, 4; A Cappella Choir I 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Inter-class Track 3; Inter-class Swimming 3, 4; Inter-class Basketball 1; Indoor Track 2, 4; Prom Committee 4; Prophecy Committee.

# RIKA ANITA CARLSON

*"Rike"*

*"A friend alike in sunshine and in rain."*

Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 2; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 4; Art Club 1; Crafts Club 3, 4; Secretary 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4.



# NORMAN CHAPMAN

*"Chappie"*

*"Why aren't they all contented like me?"*

French Club 2; Pep Club 1; Chess Club 4; History Committee.

# JANET LOUISE CARPENTER

*"Jan"*

*"She was never proud. Had tongue at will, yet was never loud."*

Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed Club 4; History Committee.



# ANASTASIA AMELIA CHAPONIS

*"Nettie"*

*"Patience is the key to content."*

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 4; A Cappella Choir II 3; Home Economics Club 4.



BERNARD LEROY  
CHAPPELL

"Chap"

"Speak out, hide not thy thoughts."

Sock and Buskin 4; Paint and Powder 1, 2; Cast of "The Pampered Darling"; A Cappella Choir I 4; A Cappella Choir II 3; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2.



JAMES FRANCIS  
CIVIELLO

"Jim"

"On with the dance."

Golf 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; French Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1; Prophecy Committee; Honor Student.

PATRICIA MAE  
CHARTIER

"Patty"

"Artist of the pencil, paint or pen."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Life Saving 1, 2; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 1; Commercial Club 4; Art Club 2, 3, 4; Reception Committee.



PHYLLIS CLARKE

"Phil"

"'Tis good to be merry."

Art Club 4; Pep Club 1; Cheer Leader 4.

LUCILLE MAE CHENEY

"Lu"

"She has a voice whose tones are sweet and mild."

Girl Reserves 3, 4; Treasurer 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; President 2; Commercial Club 4; Student Librarian 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed Club 4; Library Club 3; Reception Committee; Honor Student.



HOWARD CONN

"Conn"

"A very good and natural lad."

Football 3, 4; Basketball 4; Baseball 3, 4.

ANGELINE MARIE  
CHERUBINI

"Angie"

"Cheerful without mirth."

Tennis 2; Biology Club 2, 3, 4.



THOMAS FRANCIS  
CONRAN

"T. F."

"I doubt his dancing days are over."

Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2, 3.

HOWARD CHRISTENSEN

"Christy"

"I never think of the future, it will come soon enough."

Rifle Club 1; Camera Club T. S. 4.



CAROLINE LOUISA  
CORNA

"A student and a smile is a good combination."

Student Council 1; French Club 1, 2, 3; Commercial Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1; Vice President of Class 1; Honor Student.



JEAN LOUISE  
CROCKETT

*"A lot of chatter and a bundle  
of cheerfulness."*

Girl Reserves 3, 4; French  
Club 2, 3; Commercial Club  
3, 4; Library Club 3; Stu-  
dent Librarian 3; Pep Club  
1, 2; Home Economics Club  
4; Prophecy Committee.

MARJORIE TRACY  
CUSHMAN

*"Midge"*

*"She looks cheerfully upon  
everything and everybody."*

Girls' Volley ball 2; Student  
Council 1; Girl Reserves 4;  
French Club 1; Commercial  
Club 3, 4; Library Club 3;  
Student Librarian 3; Art  
Club 2; Crafts Club 3, 4;  
President 3, Treasurer 4;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed  
Club 4; Vice President of  
Class 1; History Committee.

ARTHUR RUSSELL  
CUSTER

*"Art"*

*"I am a drummin' man."*

Golf 4; Chorus 1; Orchestra  
2, 3, 4; Band 2, 3, 4; French  
Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1.

RITA ELAINE CUSTER

*"Happiness consists in the mul-  
tiplicity of agreeable conscious-  
ness."*

Girls' Volley ball 1; Com-  
mercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club  
1; Home Economics Club 4;  
Basketball 1, 4.

HELEN DANZIGER

*"Peggy"*

*"Simplicity of character is no  
hindrance to subtlety of in-  
tellect."*

Girl Reserves 4; Crafts Club  
4.



MILDRED LOUISE  
DEWEY

*"Louise"*

*"Be noble in every thought and  
in every deed."*

Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Cast  
of "You Can't Take It With  
You"; Paint and Powder 1,  
2; Cast of "Cold Water and  
Cash"; Student Council 2,  
3, 4; French Club 2, 4;  
President 4; Pep Club 1, 2;  
Reception Committee; Honor  
Student.



GEORGE DONAHUE

*"Red"*

*"Distinction without a difference."*

Soccer 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4.



DOROTHY HELEN  
DOWD

*"Dot"*

*"Her fingers witched the chords  
they passed along."*

World Staff 4; Chorus 1;  
Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Com-  
mercial Club 4; Biology Club  
1; Typing Speed Club 4.



ALBERT DOWNING

*"Al"*

*"Few boys are born with talents  
that excel, but all are capable  
of living well."*

Track 3; Commercial Club  
4; Inter-class Track 2.



VICTOR JOSEPH  
DUBALDO

*"Vic"*

*"Stu"*

*"I got my mind on music."*



RUSSELL DUKE

"Dukie"

*"Men who see, but are not heard, are measured by deeds and not by words."*

Cross Country 4; Track 3; French Club 1; Commercial Club 3, 4; Biology Club 2, 3; Pep Club 2.



RONALD GORDON

FARRIS

"Ronnie"

*"Those move easiest who have learned to dance."*

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; A Cappella Choir II 1; Pep Club 1, 2.



EUGENE EARLE

"Earl"

*"They that put their trust in him shall understand the truth."*

Swimming 4; Track 3; Hi-Y 3, 4; Inter-class Track 3.



ALLAN FERRIS

"Ferris"

*"His days roll pleasantly by."*

Chorus 1, 2; Commercial Club 3; Biology Club 2, 3; Pep Club 2.



DOROTHY BLANCHE  
ENGLAND

"Dot"

*"Cares upon her rest but lightly, for she is lively, young, and sprightly."*

Girls' Soccer 3; Basketball 2; Baseball 2, 3; Leaders Class 1, 2, 4; Volley ball 3; Life Saving 1; French Club 1; Hockey 2, 3.



PAUL FINKBEIN

"Fink"

*"Laugh and be well."*

Football 4; Swimming 1, 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Track 4; Hi-Y 4.



SHEILA ROSE FARON

"Shor!y"

*"Both silent, when there is need, and speaking in season."*

Art Club 4; Pep Club 1, 2.



MARJORIE FOLEY

"Mudge" "Marge"

*"A nobler yearning never broke her rest, than but to dance."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2; Paint and Powder 1, 2; Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 1, 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Library Club 3; Student Librarian 3; Art Club 2, 3.



SALVATORE ANTHONY  
FELICE

"Sully"

*"Though I am always in haste, I am never in a hurry."*

Commercial Club 3, 4.



RAYMOND GARDNER

"Ray" "Andy"

*"Choose thy friends like thy books, few but choice."*

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4.





GLORIA AGNES  
GENOVESI

*"The sincere alone can recognize sincerity."*

French Club 1; Commercial Club 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4.



ROBERT GORMAN

*"Ding"*

*"One vast, substantial smile."*

ELIZABETH ANNA  
GIBBON

*"Gibbie"*

*"No maiden is more worthy of your choice."*

Basketball 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Volley ball 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Pep Club 1; Home Economics Club 4.



HAMILTON LEAVENS  
GRANT

*"Hamie"*

*"But when he speaks what elocution flows."*

Football 2, 3; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Vice President 4; Cast of "Almost Everyman"; Paint and Powder 1, 2; President 2; Cast of: "Cold Water and Cash", "Pampered Darling"; Pep Club 1; French Club 1; History Committee.

STATIA ANN GODLESKI

*"To educate the intelligence is to enlarge the horizon of its desire and wants."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Volley ball 2; World Staff 3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Home Economics Club 4; Honor Student.



NORMA ISABEL  
GRAZADIO

*"It is the tranquil people who accomplish most."*

Commercial Club 2, 3.

NANCY AGNES  
GOODWIN

*"Nan"*

*"Cheerfulness is the oil of life."*

Commercial Club 4; Home Economics Club 4.



EUNICE ARLINE  
GUTHRIE

*"Eunie"*

*"An ounce of mirth is worth a pound of sorrow."*

Soccer 2; Basketball 2; Baseball 2, 3; Volley ball 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 4; Home Economics Club 4.

KATHERINE GORMAN

*"Kay"*

*"Friends—those relations that one makes for oneself."*

Volley ball 2, 4; Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Hockey 2; Soft Ball 2, 3; Basketball 2.



DOROTHY HELEN  
GUTZMER

*"Dotty"*

*"In each cheek appears a pretty dimple."*

Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Choral Speaking 3; Honor Student.



DOROTHY GRACE HALE

"Dot"

*"The whole character and fortune of the individual are affected by the perception of differences."*

Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Production Manager 4; Paint and Powder 1, 2; Vice President 2; Cast of "The Sandwich Glass"; Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 2; Student Librarian 3; Will Committee; Honor Student.



FRANCES HAWLEY

"Fran" "Frannie"

*"A day for toil, an hour for sport  
But for a friend, life is too short."*

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1.



DOROTHY HALEM

"Dotty"

*"I feel in every smile a chain."*

Honor Student.

ROY HELM

"Corky"

*"Easy obliging, not much speed  
His is a cheerful, kindly creed."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Baseball 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Biology Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1.

RHODA MARION HALL

*"Nothing endures but personal qualities."*

Volley ball 1; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.



DORIS HENNEQUIN

*"Earth fills her lap with pleasures of her own."*

Girls' Leaders Class 3, 4; Commercial Club 2; Biology Club 3, 4; Pep Club 2; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.

HELEN IRENE HARRINGTON

"Tootsie"

*"The sort of a girl you like to meet any time and anywhere."*

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Home Economics Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



JOHN HILINSKI

"Gunner"

*"Vivacity and wit make a man shine in company."*

Football 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4.

ROBERT FRED HARRIS

"Bob"

*"Private sincerity is a public welfare."*



WILLIAM HOFFNER

"Hoffy" "Bill"

*"All must be earnest in a world like ours."*

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4.



# LUCILLE HOUSE

"Lu"

"Smile the while."

Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 4.

# JOHN IRVING HULTINE

"Spaul"

"Let us dispense with trifles."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Football 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Swimming 1, 2, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Treasurer 4; Cast of "Black Flamingo"; Paint and Powder 1, 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Secretary and Treasurer 4; French Club 1, 2; Class President 1, 2; Harvard Book Prize; Honor Student.

# ANDREW HUTCHINSON

"Hutch"

"He has ways to make you smile."

Student Council 1, 2.

# ANTHONY IULIANO

"Tony"

"For he's a jolly good fellow."

Football 1, 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir 1, 3, 4; Hi-Y 4.

# EDITH LILLIAN JACKSON

"Ede"

"She is the very pink of courtesy."

Girls' Volley ball 3; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.



# DORIS LILLIAN JARVIS

"Frenchie"

"A good heart is worth gold."

Soccer 1, 2, 3; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Life Saving 4; French Club 2.



# IRENE JENACK

"Renee"

"A star danced and under that star I live."

A Cappella Choir II 4; Home Economics Club 4.



# MARY ALICE JILLSON

"Flash" "May"

"When Irish eyes are smiling."

Soccer 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 1, 2, 3, 4; Girls' Leaders Class 4; Volley ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Hockey 3, 4.



# HARRIETT BETTY JOHNSON

"Bet"

"I'd like to dance the whole night through."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Cheer Leader 2.



# FLORENCE JOHNSON

"Red" "Flo"

"To me clothes make the woman."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Cheer Leader 2; History Committee.



ROBERT JOHNSTON  
"Bob"

"He stands in his own light."

World Staff 2, 3, 4.



RUTH ANN KJELLSON

"A kind heart lies behind this quiet exterior."

Chorus 1; Commercial Club 4; Biology Club 2; Typing Speed Club 4.

WALTER JOYNER  
"Walt" "Cap"

"The song is the thing."

Swimming 2, 3; Student Council 2, 3; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Octet 4; Chorus 1.



LILLIAN KLEINSCHMIDT  
"Lill"

"Always laughing, full of fun, She is liked by everyone."

Soccer 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Girls' Leaders Class 4; Volley ball 2, 3, 4; Sock and Buskin 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Hockey 4.

MARY KACMARCZYK  
"Pat"

"I would be a friend to all."

French Club 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



ROBERT KNOFLA  
"Bob"

"His own opinion was his law."

Swimming 3; Golf 1.

JUNE MARIE KANAK  
"Ann"

"She has a look of tranquillity."

Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed Club 4.



RUTH ELIZABETH KORNSA  
"Korny" "Ruthie"

"Laughing eyes and coppery hair For a clever girl with nary a care."

Basketball 1, 4; Life Saving 1, 4; Student Council 2; Girl Reserves 2, 3, 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Shorthand Speed Club 4; President 4; Honor Student.

DORIS ANN KEENEY  
"Ann"

"Good nature never lost a friend."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Art Club 1; Pep Club 1, 2.



NORMA ROSE KOSTER

"Every artist was first an amateur."

SOMANHS Staff 4; Art Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Chess Club 4; Honor Student.



STEFFIE KRYEWSKI

"Steff"

"Stay as sweet as you are."

World Staff 3, 4; French Club 2; Commercial Club 4; Student Librarian 2; Art Club 1, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



ARTHUR LAWRENCE

"Art"

"I will hurt no one by that which I do not say."

Track 1; Hockey 3; Intramural Hockey 4; Intramural Basketball 4; Intramural Baseball 3, 4.

ANITA VIRGINIA LEWIS

"Neeter"

"The force of her own merit makes her way."

Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Swimming 1, 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Baseball 2, 3, 4; Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; President 4; Volley ball 1, 2, 3, 4; Life Saving 4; Chorus 1; Pep Club 2; Hockey 1, 2, 3, 4.



STELLA KULIGOWSKY

"Lollie"

"A quiet person is welcome everywhere."

Commercial Club 3, 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



WILLARD LAKING

"Bones" "Bill"

"Take things as you find them."

Rifle Club 1.

JACQUELINE LATHROP

"Jackie"

"There is a flirtive look in her eye."

French Club 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2.



ALICE ELIZABETH LITTLE

"Al"

"Here is a true, industrious friend."

Volley ball 3, 4; Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 3, 4; Art Club 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.

JOHN LAUTENBACH

"Johnny"

"Care is an enemy of life."

Soccer 2, 3, 4; Captain 4; Golf 3, 4; Paint and Powder 1, 2; Hi-Y 3, 4; Pep Club 2; Student Council 1, 2; French Club 2; Will Committee.



ALBERT LITVINCHUK

"Ike"

"He is ever precise in promise-keeping."

Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Swimming 1, 2, 3; Track 1, 2, 3; Chorus 1; Hi-Y 3, 4.



GEORGE LUURTSEMA

"Butch"

*"Free from worry is he."*

Cross Country 1; Paint and Powder 2; A Cappella Choir I 3, 4; A Cappella Choir II 3, 4.



HELEN MANKUS

*"Not much talk—a great, sweet silence."*

A Cappella Choir II 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Crafts Club 2; Pep Club 1.

BARBARA ANN MACK

"Bobs"

*"From her shall read the perfect ways of honor."*

Soccer 3, 4; Basketball 1, 3; Baseball 2, 3; Tennis 3; Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 2; World Staff 2, 3, 4; Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 1, 2; Hockey 1, 3; Honor Student.



MARTHA MANSFIELD

"Marty"

*"Lovely to look at, delightful to know."*

Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2.

ROBERT MACKSEY

"Bob"

*"Some do it with more grace, but I do it more naturally."*

Paint and Powder 1, 2; Student Council 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Reception Committee.



CLIFFORD MARKS

"Cliff"

"Chet"

*"Happy as it were by report."*

Student Council 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Vice President 4; Inter-class Basketball 1, 2; Gift Committee.

GRACE MADER

"Winky"

*"Love, sweetness, goodness in her person shines."*

Student Council 2, 3; Chorus 1, 3; A Cappella Choir II 2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



CLARENCE MARON

"Cal"

*"Every sincere man is right."*

Student Council 1, 2, 3; World Staff 3, 4; A Cappella Choir I 1, 2, 3, 4; French Club 1; Pep Club 1; Hockey 3; Intramural Basketball 3, 4; Football 4; History Committee; Honor Student.

GEORGE EDWARD MALLON

"Mal"

*"I'll laugh and be merry."*

Track 4; Commercial Club 2, 3; Art Club 2; Pep Club 1; Intramural Basketball 1; Inter-class Track 2, 3, 4; Inter-class Swimming 2, 4.



MARY MARTIN

*"Style is her middle name."*

Honor Student.



ROBERT MARTIN

"Bob"

"Business is the salt of life."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4;  
Shorthand Speed Club 4.



MARGARET McBRIERTY

"Peggy"

"Free is she from care."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4;  
Home Economics Club 4.

THOMAS MARTIN

"Tom"

"Be silent and safe—silence  
never betrays."



RAYMOND KENNETH  
McCARTHY

"Mac"

"The world knows little of its  
greatest men."

Football (inter-department)  
T.S.

THORVALD MATHIASON

"Thor"

"Mat"

"Silence is true wisdom's best  
reply."

Student Council 1; Commer-  
cial Club 2, 3, 4.



ANN ROSALIE  
McDONNELL

"Ro"

"Softly speak and sweetly  
smile."

Basketball 1, 2, 3; Baseball  
2, 3; Volley ball 1, 2; Sock  
and Buskin 4; A Cappella  
Choir I 3, 4; Commercial  
Club 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2.

BERNICE MATTESEN

"Bernie"

"The best of life is conversa-  
tion."

Basketball 1, 2; Volley ball  
1, 2; A Cappella Choir I  
4; A Cappella Choir II 1,  
2, 3; Commercial Club 1,  
2, 3; Art Club 1, 2, 3; Crafts  
Club 4; Pep Club 1, 2;  
Cheer Leader 4.



SHIRLEY McINTOSH

"Mitzi"

"Her art was striking, resistless,  
and grand."

SOMANHS Staff 4; French  
Club 2; Commercial Club 3,  
4; Art Club 3, 4; Pep Club  
1; Honor Student.

MARY ROSE MAYER

"Too'sie"

"She sits well in the heart of  
her friends."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4.



DOROTHY McKEE

"Dot"

"Her heart is always doing  
lovely things."

Student Council 1; World  
Staff 4; Girl Reserves 4;  
French Club 2; Commercial  
Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1;  
Honor Student.



WILLIAM McKINNEY

*"Happy-go-lucky, fair and free."*



ADELLA MILLER

*"The joy of youth and health  
her eye displayed,  
And ease of her heart her  
every look conveyed."*

Commercial Club 3; Short-  
hand Speed Club 4; Typing  
Speed Club 4.

ERNEST MALCOLM  
McNEILL

*"Muck"*

*"It is not what he has, nor even  
what he does which directly  
expresses the worth of a man,  
but what he is."*

Swimming 3, 4; Commercial  
Club 2, 3, 4; Inter-class  
Swimming 2.



RALPHA MYRTLE  
MILLER

*"For a good-natured girl is loved  
best in the main."*

French Club 3; Commercial  
Club 2, 3, 4.

STEVEN WILLIAM  
MERONOVICH

*"Steve"*

*"Meekness is not weakness."*

Cross Country 3.



HARRIET MARY  
MORIARTY

*"Flip"*

*"To her young heart everything  
is fun."*

Girl Reserves 4; Commer-  
cial Club 2, 3; Pep Club 1;  
Home Economics Club 4;  
Reception Committee.

VERONICA MICKEWICZ  
*"Ronnie"*

*"Ornament of a meek and quiet  
person."*

Commercial Club 3; Short-  
hand Speed Club 4; Typing  
Speed Club 4.



MARIE MOSICATA  
*"Twee tie"*

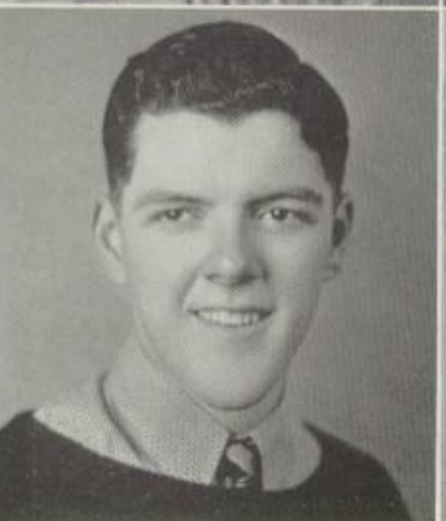
*"I can say what I think."*

Volley ball 2, 3; Commercial  
Club 3, 4; Home Economics  
Club 4.

HOWARD MIDFORD  
*"Caesar"*

*"Reserved, not haughty, calm,  
not sad; a thoughtful, worthy,  
quiet lad."*

Track 3, 4.



HOWARD MURPHY  
*"De De"*

*"I live the life I love."*

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella  
Choir I 4; Rie Club 1; A  
Cappella Choir II 3.



ANNA FRANCES  
NACZKOWSKI  
"Perc"

"Happiness seems made to be shared."

Commercial Club 4; Pep Club 1.



JULIA OFIARA  
"Jule"

"A constant friend is a thing rare and hard to find."

French Club 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Honor Student.

JOSEPH NAPOLI  
"Joe"

"His heart makes up for his height."

Football (inter-department) T. S. 2; Basketball (inter-department) T. S. 2; Cross Country 1, 2; Golf 1, 2; Paint and Powder 1; Baseball (inter-department) T. S. 2.



WALTER OLDS  
"Curly"

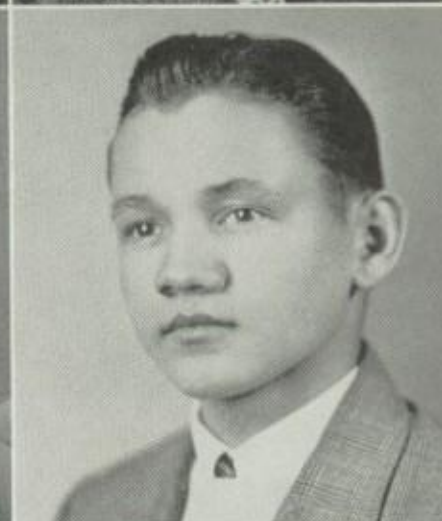
"A mixture of logic, wit, enthusiasm, and indomitable energy."

Orchestra 1, 2; Chess Club 4; Honor Student.

BARBARA NELSON  
"Barbs"

"Few things are impossible to diligence and skill."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Home Economics 4.



STANLEY OLEANDER  
"Slash"

"His best things are done in the flush of a moment."

Football (inter-department) T. S. 2, 3.

HAZEL FRANCES  
NEWCOMB  
"Snooks"

"A happy life consists in tranquillity of mind."

Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2.



MARJORIE OLSON  
"Peanuts"

"The ideal of courtesy, wit, grace and charm."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Tennis 3, 4; Student Council 1, 2, 3; French Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Chess Club 4; Class Vice President 2; Class Secretary 1.

ROBERT ODERMANN  
"Bob"

"A pleasant youth, most genial, frank; a character of highest rank."

Cross Country 4; Track 3, 4; French Club 1; Intramural Basketball 1, 2, 3; Student Council 4; Honor Student.



IRENE BARBARA  
OPALACH

"A rare combination of cleverness, friendliness and frolic."

Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3; Student Council 1; Girl Reserves 3, 4; French Club 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Home Economics Club 4; President 4; Class Secretary 3; Honor Student.

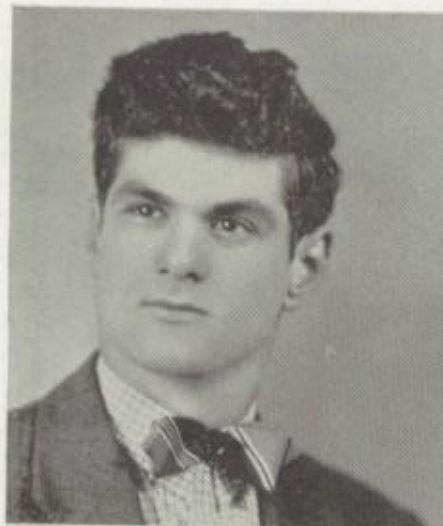


MICHAEL ORFITELLI

"Orfie"

"He could, perhaps, have swum  
the Hellespont."

Swimming 1, 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y  
3, 4.



JOHN WARREN

PEROTTI

"Johnny"

"'Twas the loveliest hair in the  
world."

Soccer 3, 4; Student Council  
2; Chorus 1, 2, 3.

EVELYN ANNA ORR

"Eve"

"Politeness is to do and say  
The kindest thing in the kind-  
est way."

Girl Reserves 2; French  
Club 3; Rifle Club 2; Pep  
Club 1.



LORNA MONA

PETERSON

"Pete"

"Her heart is like a garden fair  
where many pleasant blossoms  
grow."

Home Economics Club 4;  
Tumbling Club 1; Bowling  
4; Basketball 4.

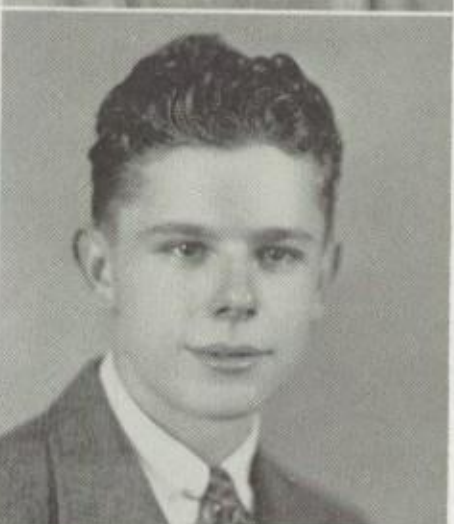
DOROTHEA VIRGINIA

PEABODY

"Thea"

"Her golden hair was hanging  
down her back."

French Club 2, 3, 4; Crafts  
Club 4; Pep Club 2; Cheer  
Leader 2, 3.



BENJAMIN STEVENSON

PHILLIPS

"Spider"

"There is no substitute for hard  
work."

ANN ROSE PEROZIELO

"Perry"

"In quietness and confidence  
shall be your strength."

Volley ball 4; French Club  
1, 2; Commercial Club 3;  
Badminton 4; Basketball 4.



JOHN PIESCICK

"Rogkie"

"Toil is a pleasure when it is  
done."

Football (inter-department)  
T. S. 1, 2, 3, 4; Basketball  
(inter-department) T. S. 4.

WILLIAM PERRETT

"Bill"

"I'll walk with music."

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band  
1, 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Class  
Treasurer 1.



RUTH HANNAH

PODROVE

"Ruthie"

"Her bright smile haunts me  
still."

French Club 2, 3, 4; Debat-  
ing 1, 2; Commercial Club  
3; Pep Club 1; Choral  
Speaking 3; Honor Student.



STELLA ROSE POHARSKI

"Stell"

"Merry as a cricket."

Volley ball 3; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2; Home Economics Club 4; Basketball 3; Honor Student.



LUCILLE PRIOR

"A pleasing countenance is no slight advantage."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Commercial Club 4.

DOROTHY POPOFF

"Tommy"

"She is quiet, pure and sweet."

Commercial Club 3, 4; Library Club 4; Student Librarian 4; Home Economics Club 4.



ALFRED RAFFA

"Al"

"Thoughtful men do big things."

RUSSELL PRATT

"Russ"

"Solemn though his face may be, he has a heart that's filled with glee."

Soccer 3, 4; Baseball 3, 4; Hockey 3.



GERTRUDE LORETTA REINHOLD

"Sweetie" "Gert"

"Friendship's call she'll always heed, for a friend in need is a friend indeed."

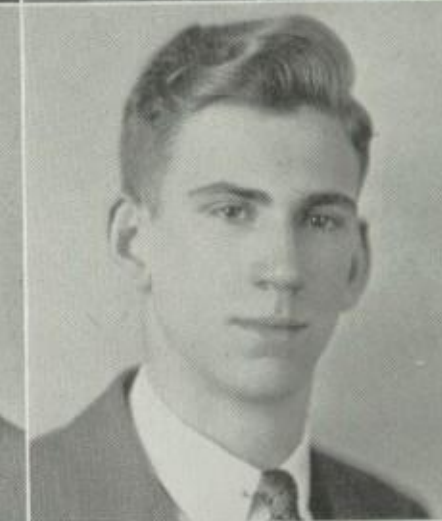
SOMANHIS Staff 4; Volley ball 4; Chorus 1; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Hockey 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Badminton 4; Bowling 4.

STUART GORDON PRENTICE

"Stu"

"There lies a deal of devilry beneath this mild exterior."

Chorus 1, 2; Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Gift Committee.



FREDERICK ALBERT RISTAU

"Shorty"

"A friend is never known till a man hath need."

GEORGE ANDREW PRICE

"Cactus"

"Mum is counsel."

Baseball (inter-department) T. S. 3, 4.



JEANNE ROBB

"Studies serve for delight, for ornament, and for ability."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Student Council 1; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2, 3, 4; Student Librarian 3; Library Club 3; Pep Club 1; Class Secretary 1, 2; Choral Speaking 3.



MILDRED SHIRLEY  
ROBINSON

"Millie"

*"Blushing is the color of virtue."*

Girl Reserves 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 1.



SHIRLEY MAE  
SCHILLER

"Jimmy"

*"Eyes too expressive to be blue;  
too lovely to be grey."*

Girls' Life Saving 4.

RALPH JAMES RUNDE

"Bun"

*"He was a leader of leaders."*

Student Council 2, 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; President 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; President 4; Class President 3; Will Committee.



FILOMENA SCUDIERI

"Fil"

*"For sure, no minutes bring us  
more content than those in  
pleasing, useful studies spent."*

Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Art Club 3, 4; Chess Club 4; Salutatorian.

FLORENCE KIRSTINE  
SALMONSEN

"Flo" "Blondie"

*"Sweet of manner, warm of  
heart."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Volley ball 4; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir II 3, 4; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Hockey 3, 4; Soccer 3, 4; Badminton 4; Bowling 4.



EVELYN SENKBEIL

"Ev"

*"'Tis sports that make the  
world go 'round."*

Soccer 3, 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Volley ball 3, 4; Life Saving 3, 4; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 4; Commercial Club 3; Art Club 3, 4; Biology Club 2; Hockey 2, 3, 4.

REBECCA LENA  
SARDELLA

"Lee"

*"Silence is the most perfect  
herald of joy."*



ANGELA SILLANO

"Angie"

*"Happiness is reflective, like  
the light of heaven."*

French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 4; Pep Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Choral Speaking 3; Honor Student.

ROBERT SCHALLER

"Bob"

*"Wit and wisdom are born with  
a man."*

Swimming 2, 3, 4; Hi-Y 3; Art Club 2.



MARY SIMLER

"Toots"

*"One of those happy souls which  
are the salt of the earth."*

Volley ball 3; Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Library Club 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 4.



BARBARA MAE SIMONS

"Susie"

*"You are the soul of joy,  
The embodiment of love and  
life."*

Commercial Club 2, 3; Li-  
brary Club 4; Student Libra-  
rian 4; Home Economics  
Club 4.



RUSSELL SMALL

"Russ" "Shorty"

*"He makes a friend who never  
makes a foe."*

HELEN IONAMAE  
SIMPSON

"Simp"

*"The rule of my life is to make  
business a pleasure and pleas-  
ure my business."*

Choir 1; Commercial Club 2,  
3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Typing  
Speed Club 4; Will Com-  
mittee.



GORDON SMITH

"Smitty"

*"Cheerful company shortens the  
mile."*

Swimming 2, 3; Track 3; A  
Cappella Choir I 4; A Cap-  
pella Choir II 3.

ANN SIPPLES

"Red"

*"She is calm, she is sweet  
Just the type we love to meet."*

Basketball 2; Volley ball 3;  
Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Typing Speed  
Club 4.



RAYETTA SMITH

"Smitty"

*"As merry as the day is long."*

French Club 2, 3; Commer-  
cial Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1,  
2; Choral Speaking 3.

ALBERT SLEURP

"Al"

*"Talk to him of Jacob's ladder,  
and he would ask the number  
of steps."*



LAURA BESSIE SMYTH

*"A fashionable woman is always  
at ease."*

DEBORAH SLOAN

"Deb"

*"The day shall not be up as  
soon as I, to try the fair ad-  
venture of tomorrow."*

Soccer 3; Basketball 1, 2;  
Baseball 2, 3; Volley ball 2,  
3; Chorus 2; Girl Reserves  
+; Commercial Club 3;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Choral Speak-  
ing 3; Hockey 3.



DOROTHY LUCILLE  
SNOW

"Dot"

*"She has a natural, wide  
sincerity."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Student  
Council 2, 3; World Staff 2,  
3, 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4;  
French Club 2, 3; Commer-  
cial Club 4; Library Club 3;  
Student Librarian 3; Pep  
Club 1; Shorthand Speed  
Club 4; Typing Speed Club  
4; President 4; Honor  
Student.



PATRICIA LENORE  
SOUTHWICK

"Patty"

*"Come and trip it, as you go,  
On the light, fantastic toe."*

Soccer 3, 4; Basketball 2, 3, 4; Leaders Class 3, 4; Volley ball 4; Sock and Buskin 4; Cast of "Almost Everyman"; Girl Reserves Debating Club 2; Cheer Leader 4; Hockey 3, 4; Choral Speaking 3; Soft ball 2, 3.



DOROTHY STEINBERG

"Dot"

*"Dost thou love life, then do  
not squander time, for that is  
the stuff life is made of."*

Pep Club 1, 2.

JOHN SPENCER

"Spence"

*"Many a stroke of luck has  
come to many a man."*

Football 3, 4; Chorus 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2; Rifle Club 1, 2.



FAITH RUSSELL  
STEVENSON

*"There is only one success, to  
be able to spend your life in  
your own way."*

Sock and Buskin 3; *World* Staff 3, 4; Editor-in-Chief 3, 4; Chorus 2; French Club 2, 3; Pep Club 2.

BERNICE STARCHESKI

"Ben"

*"The more we know her the  
more we like her."*

French Club 3; Commercial Club 3; Chess Club 4.



JAMES STEVENSON

"Jim"

*"Music is the greatest of all  
arts."*

Sock and Buskin 3; Sound effects for "Black Flamingo"; *World* Staff 3, 4; Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 4; A Cappella Choir II 2, 3; French Club 1; Pep Club 1; Chess Club 4; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Honor Student.

ROBERT RAYMOND  
STEARNS

"Bob" "S'earnsie"

*"Imagination rules the world."*

Football 3; Camera Club T. S. 4.



SHIRLEY STEVENSON

"Stevie"

*"Slow to promise, quick to  
perform."*

Basketball 2, 3, 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Library Club 3; Student Librarian 3; Pep Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.

ALMEDA STECHHOLZ

"Alley"

*"As welcome as the flowers in  
May."*

Volley ball 2; Commercial Club 4; Art Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Typing Speed Club 4; Hockey 1; Soccer 1; Honor Student.



LILLIAN BROOME  
STREET

*"Achievement is by industry  
obtained."*

SOMANHS Staff 4; Chorus 1; French Club 2, 3, 4; Debating 2, 3; Valedictorian.



# MARJORY STREETER

"Margie"

"Beautiful faces are those that wear whole-souled honesty printed there."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Chorus 1, 2; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Student Librarian 3; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Choral Speaking 3; Honor Student.



# SHERWOOD TEDFORD

"Chubby"

"What should a man do but be merry."

Golf 2, 3, 4; Inter-class Swimming 1, 2, 3.

# OLIVE MARIE SWANSON

"Olly"

"Just to be gentle, kind, and sweet always to everyone I meet."

French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Choral Speaking 3; Honor Student.



# VIRGINIA MURIEL THORNTON

"Ginny"

"Good nature, like a bee, finds its honey in every herb."

Swimming 1, 2, 3; Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2.

# GERTRUDE MAY SWEENEY

"Gert"

"Character is the diamond that scratches every other stone."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3; Pep Club 1; Chess Club 4; Honor Student.



# ELMER THRALL

"Spike"

"Let me have music and I seek no more delight."

Chorus 1; A Cappella Choir I 4; A Cappella Choir II 2, 3; Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4; Band 4.

# SAMUEL JOHN TAGGART

"Hook" "Huck"

"He said true things, but called them by wrong names."

Basketball T. S. 1; Baseball T. S. 2.



# GORDON EDWARD THRALL

"Gordy"

"Life is short but there is always time for courtesy."

Cross Country 2, 3, 4; Track 4; Intramural Track 2, 3, 4.

# LILLIAN TANNER

"Lil"

"And her bright eyes—how eloquent  
Ask what they would 'twas granted."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Basketball 1, 2, 3, 4; Tennis 2, 3, 4; Leaders Class 3, 4; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2, 3; Debating Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; President 3; Student Librarian 3, 4; Hockey 1, 3, 4; Honor Student.



# BEATRICE TORRANCE

"Bea"

"I am wealthy in my friends."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Girl Reserves 4; French Club 2, 3; Commercial Club 3, 4; Debating Club 2, 3; Crafts Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.



LENNART ALFRED  
TORSTENSON

"Len" "Swede"

"He's very handsome and has wit at will."

Soccer 1, 2, 3, 4; Student Council 3; A Cappella Choir 1, 2, 3, 4; Class Treasurer 4; Prophecy Committee.



HENRY VAILLANT

"Stubby"

"It is a friendly heart that has plenty of friends."

Football 1; Soccer 2, 3, 4; Basketball 2; Baseball 1, 2, 4; Student Council 1; Hi-Y 4.

JEANNE RHEA  
TOURNAUD

"Beany"

"She's pretty to walk with and witty to talk with and pleasant to think on."

Basketball 2; Sock and Buskin 3, 4; Cast of "Winsome Winnie", Paint and Powder 1, 2; Treasurer 2; Cast of "Florist Shop"; French Club 2, 3, 4; Commercial Club 2; Debating Club 2; Chess Club 4; Pep Club 1; Honor Student.



ELIZABETH ROSE  
VENDRILLO

"Betty"

"Pleasure and action make the hours seem short."

Girls' Leaders Class 2, 3, 4; Student Council 1; Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4; French Club 3; Debating Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1; Shorthand Speed Club 4.

WILLIAM JOHN  
TRAGGIS

"Bill"

"A good man is contented."

Football (inter-department) T. S. Basketball (inter-department) T. S. 3.



ELIZABETH VENNARD

"Betty"

"The mildest manners and the gentlest heart."

Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Typing Speed Club 4.

MILTON TURKINGTON

"Turk"

"There is a great deal in the first impression."

Track 4; World Staff 3, 4.



DORIS VENNART

"Dot"

"Her air, her manners, all who saw admired, courteous though coy, and gentle though retired."

Basketball 2; Girl Reserves 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Crafts Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 4.

HELEN AGNES UZUPES

"Beneath this unassuming exterior are concealed wit, and a world of jollity."

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Basketball 1; Baseball 2; World Staff 4; Girl Reserves 3, 4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4; Library Club 3; Pep Club 1, 2; Home Economics Club 4; Choral Speaking 3; Gift Committee; Honor Student.



YOLANDA MARIE VINCE

"Squint"

"Laugh and the world laughs with you."

Girl Reserves 4; Commercial Club 4; Biology Club 2, 3, 4; Pep Club 2; Shorthand Speed Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4; Baseball 2, 3; Tennis 2.



### ALBERT VIRGINIA

*"Merit is worthier than fame."*



### ALFRED PAUL WERBNER

*"Al"*

*"It is better to debate a question without settling it than to settle it without debate."*

Tennis 3, 4; Sock and Buskin 4; Cast of "You Can't Take It With You"; Paint and Powder 1, 2; *World Staff* 3, 4; A Cappella Choir I 1, 2, 3, 4; Debating Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1, 2; Will Committee.

### CLARA MAY VISNY

*"Courtesy costs nothing."*



### RUTH RITCHIE WHEATON

*"Efficiency is ever worth while."*

Sock and Buskin 3, 4; President 4; Cast of "You Can't Take It With You", "Black Flamingo"; Paint and Powder 1, 2; Cast of "Sandwich Glass"; Student Council 2; *World Staff* 2, 3, 4; Co-Managing Editor 4; French Club 1, 2, 4; Prophecy Committee; Honor Student.

Chorus 1, 2; French Club 2; Commercial Club 1, 2, 4; Home Economics Club 4; Typing Speed Club 4.

### MILDRED WEBB

*"Mil"*

*"A lady's always serene."*



### BEATRICE WHITE

*"Beaty"*

*"Her very frowns are fairer far Than smiles of other maidens are."*

Student Council 2; Commercial Club 3, 4; Home Economics Club 4; Gift Committee; Honor Student.

Commercial Club 3, 4; Art Club 1, 2, 3; Pep Club 1, 2.

### FRANK EDWARD WEIR

*"Buzz"*

*"Joking and humor are always pleasant."*



### GLORIA WHITE

*"All musical people are happy."*

Sock and Buskin 4; "Cast of 'You Can't Take It With You'"; Commercial Club 3; Art Club 3, 4; Honor Student.

Inter-class Basketball 1, 2; Basketball 3, 4; Manager 3, 4; Inter-class Track 1, 2; Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4; Biology Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2; Gift Committee.

### MICHAEL WEISS

*"Mike"*

*"Self trust is the secret of success."*



### EDWARD RAYMOND WIERZBICKI

*"Eddie"*

*"The only way to have a friend is to be one."*

Basketball (inter-department and varsity) T. S. 1, 2; Baseball (varsity and inter-department) T. S. 2, 3.

Student Council 3, 4; President 4; Hi-Y 3, 4; Class President 4; Class Day Chairman; Honor Student.



ARTHUR RICHARD  
WILKIE  
"Art"

*"Good clothes open all doors."*

Golf 2, 3, 4; *World* Staff 2;  
Hi-Y 4; French Club 1, 2;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Intramural  
Basketball 1, 2; Reception  
Committee.



FRANK SINCLAIR  
WILSON

*"He was capable of arranging all  
and of doing everything."*

SOMANHIS Staff 3, 4; Editor-  
in-Chief 4; Swimming 2, 3;  
Manager 2, 3; Student Coun-  
cil 1; *World* Staff 1; French  
Club 1, 2; Pep Club 1, 2;  
Intramural Basketball 2, 3;  
Will Committee.



ROSE WILSON

*"Consciousness has its reward."*

Chorus 1, 2; Girl Reserves  
4; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4;  
Pep Club 1.



RUSSELL BISSELL  
WILSON

"Hack" "Rus"

*"The music in my heart I hear  
long after it is heard no more."*

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.



HELEN MARIE  
WIPPERT

*"The smile that won't come off."*

Soccer 2, 3; Basketball 4;  
Baseball 3, 4; Girls' Leaders  
Class 1, 2, 3, 4; Volley ball  
2, 3, 4; Chorus 1; A Cap-  
pella Choir I 2, 3, 4; Crafts  
Club 3, 4; Hockey 3, 4;  
French Club 1, 2; Honor  
Student.



DOROTHY WITTKOFSKE  
"Dot"

*"Earnestness alone makes life  
and eternity."*

Chorus 1, 2; A Cappella  
Choir I 3, 4; Commercial  
Club 2, 3, 4; Honor Student.



BERTIL WOGMAN  
"Mortimore"

*"Let's avoid romance."*

A Cappella Choir I 2, 3, 4;  
A Cappella Choir II 1, 2,  
3, 4.



TED WOODWARD

*"Music is the universal lan-  
guage of man."*

Orchestra 1, 2, 3, 4.



ADELLA BERNICE  
WRUBEL  
"Del"

*"Beauty from order springs."*

Basketball 4; French Club 1,  
2; Commercial Club 2, 3, 4;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Shorthand  
Speed Club 4; Vice President  
4; Honor Student.



JUNE MARILYN  
YEOMANS

*"To be an artist is a great  
thing."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Student  
Council 3; A Cappella Choir  
I 3, 4; A Cappella Choir II  
1, 2; Commercial Club 4;  
Art Club 3, 4; Pep Club 1;  
Shorthand Speed Club 4;  
Vice President of Class 3;  
Prom Committee 3, 4; Re-  
ception Committee; Honor  
Student.







VERONICA ELIZABETH  
ZELONIS

*"Fritz"*

*"Nothing is impossible to a  
willing heart."*

SOMANHIS Staff 4; Basket-  
ball 3; Volley ball 3; Student  
Council 2; Chorus 1, 2;  
Commercial Club 1, 2, 3, 4;  
Pep Club 1, 2; Home Eco-  
nomics Club 4; Prophecy  
Committee; Honor Student.

CLARENCE JEFFERS

*"His talk was like a stream  
which runs, with rapid change  
from rocks to roses."*

IN MEMORIAM

SUSANNE STAVNITSKY

## CLASS SONG 1940B

We have spent four years together,  
In these dear, familiar halls;  
We have shared our joys and pleasures  
Here within these hallowed walls.  
It is time to part from friendships  
We have formed in days gone by;  
We will lift our hearts and voices  
To our dear Manchester High.

Now to us the task is given,  
And we surely must not fail;  
We must bring success and honor  
To our Alma Mater, hail!  
For no matter where we travel  
We will surely ever try;  
With thy precepts e'er to guide us  
Hail! oh hail! Manchester High.

*Words: Dorothy Dowd.*

*Music: Russell Wilson.*



"YOU CAN'T TAKE IT WITH YOU"





G. White





## SOMANHIS

*First Row:* S. McIntosh, L. Street, B. Torrance, M. Streeter, M. Olson, L. Tanner, J. Yeomans, N. Koster, M. Akrigg, P. Chartier, G. Mader.

*Second Row:* J. Irwin, E. Benson, F. Salmonsens, L. Prior, G. Rheinhold, H. Uzupes, V. Zelonis, S. Godleski, G. Benson, J. Kanak, Miss Henderson.

*Third Row:* Miss Fellows, I. Annulli, G. Sweeney, B. Carter, J. Robb, M. Foley, D. Snow, D. Plitt, E. Carlson, M. J. Ackerman.

*Fourth Row:* J. Buckley, F. Wilson, D. Fisher, R. Blevins, R. McCormick, J. Hultine, R. Helm, S. Prentice, Mr. Wright.

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Lillian Tanner, '40B

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Patricia Chartier, '40B

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Ida Annulli, '41B

Jane Irwin, '41A

### FACULTY ADVISERS

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Business: Mr. Russell Wright

Art: Miss Hope Henderson





## HIGH SCHOOL WORLD

*First Row:* R. Johnston, J. Stevenson, M. Barry, A. Werbner, F. Stevenson, Miss Estes, R. Wheaton, M. Turkington, J. Irwin, B. Mack.  
*Second Row:* D. Dowd, D. Snow, S. Godleski, H. Uzupes, D. McKee, S. Kryewski, I. Buysse, M. Flavell, F. Struff, L. Flux, A. Tournaud, G. Sapienza, V. Whitman, E. Reich.  
*Third Row:* M. Lintner, N. Pratt, E. Weden, F. Zimmerman, J. Mrosek, R. McCormick, C. Maron, G. Benche, W. Mosley, B. Barstow.

In its seventh year, the *High School World* continued to furnish accurate reporting of school life in 1939-1940. The *World* was represented at the New York convention of the Columbia Press Association and at the Connecticut Scholastic Press Association at Bridgeport.

Manchester townsfolk are accustomed to look forward to the weekly appearance of the page in the *Manchester Evening Herald* to provide news of extra-curricular activities, special class projects, and outstanding assembly programs in the school.

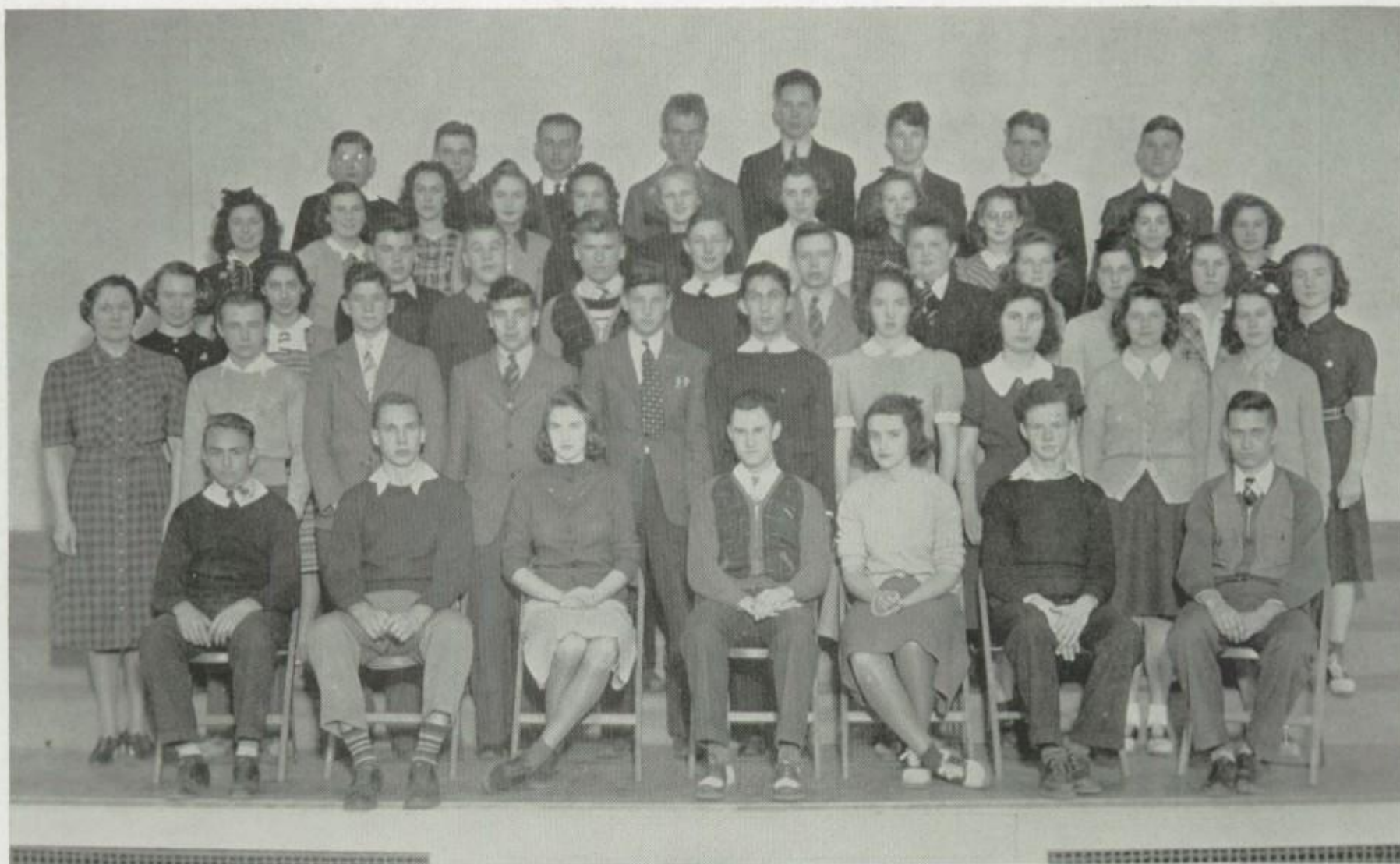
The Legion of Honor continued to be one of the most interesting features of the page.

To stimulate interest in photography and especially in pictures of school subjects and scenes, the *World* staff held a photographic contest. Prizes were awarded for the best picture with school news value and for the best picture in the pictorial photography field.

One of the most enjoyable of the several *World* parties, held during the year, was the mid-winter initiation party.







## STUDENT COUNCIL

*First Row:* R. Runde, J. Hultine, M. Barry, R. Doggart, L. Dewey, E. Stratton, M. Weiss.

*Second Row:* Mrs. Campbell, T. Cummings, R. Cole, J. Murphy, H. Frey, J. Bellis, D. Stratton, I. Annulli, B. Ubert, M. Sheldon.

*Third Row:* M. Richardson, T. Deyorio, G. Birge, F. Mohr, A. Vincek, R. Haugh, H. Straw, C. Glenney, D. Kenton, P. McCormick, R. Stevenson, E. Porterfield.

*Fourth Row:* G. Rota, C. Roy, D. Aspinwall, E. Modean, D. Fregin, E. Kleinschmidt, C. Miller, E. Pearson, B. Donnelly, J. Todd, E. Wilkie.

*Fifth Row:* G. Adamy, W. Carter, G. Hunt, A. Aronson, W. Kennedy, S. Hagenow, T. Smyth, D. McCollum.

The Student Council under its new faculty adviser, Mrs. Marguerite O. Campbell, has carried on the usual activities such as the S. A. A. membership drive, the Christmas basket project, the sale of Christmas seals, March of Dimes for the Infantile Paralysis Fund and the voting of awards and letters to students who have been recommended by coaches and advisers.

A social hour was sponsored by the Council on Columbus Day to welcome back visiting alumni. Several Friday afternoon "social hours" have also been

held throughout the year. The funds raised from the latter have been used to buy records and school equipment.

The Council assisted in the arrangements for the annual High School Prom and collaborated with the Library Club in a "Tag Day" for the benefit of the school library.

Since the Council is composed of home room representatives, an opportunity is afforded to the entire student body for sharing in the responsibilities as well as the privileges of school and community citizenship.








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## ART CLUB

*First Row:* Miss Henderson, S. Bidwell, M. Cushman, R. Carlson, M. Brosnan, H. Wippert, G. White, J. Yeomans, F. Dearden, A. Drake, D. Rota, S. Kimball.

*Second Row:* S. Robb, V. Eaton, R. Bloodgood, P. Chartier, S. Kryewski, B. Torrance, B. Mattesen, P. Clarke, A. Little, I. Ponticelli, B. Erickson, M. Johnson, M. Richardson.

*Third Row:* E. Senkbeil, B. Peperitis, M. Flavell, M. Massolini, B. McDonnell, W. Gilpatrick, H. Danziger, N. Koster, F. Scudieri, S. Fahey, D. Thompson, G. Fisher.

*Fourth Row:* A. Ludwig, C. Campbell, E. Rickerd, G. Bensche, A. Eccellente, S. Lamprecht.

The division of the Art Club into the two separate sections, "Fine Arts" and "Crafts," was continued with a great deal of success. Under the able supervision of Miss Hope Henderson much work was accomplished.

Members of the "Crafts" division derived much pleasure in learning how to make articles for their personal use out of metal, wood, and leather.

Those who preferred to study more in

the field of "Fine Arts" spent their club time in doing still-life arrangements, figures and sketches, using frescoes, charcoal, and oils.

The two divisions were also represented this year for the first time in the Art Assembly by giving demonstrations of the work they have been doing.

Both clubs combined in their social events which included a tea, a picnic, and a number of parties.







ORCHESTRA



BAND





A CAPPELLA I



A CAPPELLA II





## HIGH SCHOOL CHORUS

## MUSIC

As in previous years, students in voice were divided into three choirs: A Cappella Choir No. 1, A Cappella Choir No. 2, and the High School Chorus. The band provided music at football and basketball games. The orchestra provided music for the two graduations as well as taking part in all the concerts.

This year the choirs and orchestra presented a very excellent Christmas program; Grace Benson and Lillian Kittle, student conductors, each directed one selection.

The Spring Concert on May 1st, and the C. C. I. L. Festival held at Meriden on May 24th were well attended. All

the music organizations also participated in the Outdoor Festival on May 22nd in Educational Square.

An unusual opportunity was afforded the members of the band; they were invited to play at the New York World's Fair together with the West Hartford High School band June 8th.

On three different occasions, the Octet, consisting of selected members of A Cappella Choir No. 1 was invited to sing for local organizations.

A very successful year under the direction of Mr. Pearson was enjoyed in all branches of music.







## GIRL RESERVES

The Girl Reserves entered into a particularly interesting year, with a membership of some seventy members from the three upper classes. Meetings were held bi-weekly at the Center Congregational Church, under the guidance of Mrs. Harriet Spink, county Y. W. C. A. secretary, and Miss Marion Casey, faculty adviser.

The Girl Reserves sent delegates to conferences in Hartford, New Haven, and New Britain during the year, and a representative to the summer conference at Lake Gardner.

The club held group discussions and had several interesting speakers, as well as some social meetings.

The Girl Reserves have a fine reputation for their group singing and the members have attempted to preserve this reputation. The club has also continued its work in helping others by sending candy to the children's hospital at Newington at Easter, and holding a Christmas Party for children.

A masquerade party at Halloween, the Girl Reserves annual Kiddies' Christmas Party, the dance, banquet, and a joint meeting with the Girl Reserves of Thompsonville completed the year's successful program of entertainment and education.







## SOCK AND BUSKIN

*First Row:* B. Boyd, R. McDonnell, G. White, E. Benson, R. Wheaton, N. Bantly, F. Pickles, M. Clay, N. Fike.  
*Second Row:* L. Kleinschmidt, P. Southwick, D. Hale, J. Tournaud, L. Dewey, M. Barry, B. Dewey, C. Lavey, S. Wigren, B. Ubert, J. Kehler.  
*Third Row:* J. Derby, H. Grant, E. Buckland, E. Millhouse, R. Pearl, R. Ranney, J. Knight, D. McCann, L. Shadlick, L. Podrove, P. Keith.  
*Fourth Row:* T. Blanchard, R. Richmond, A. Werbner, R. Johnston, J. Hultine, F. Keish, R. Madden, J. Hyde, J. Daley, C. Belcher.

Sock and Buskin, under the leadership of Miss Helen Page, has enjoyed a most successful year. A very amusing three-act comedy, "You Can't Take It With You," was presented to the public in November. An enjoyable skit entitled "Almost Every Man" was given in an assembly for the school in January. Twelve members of Sock and Buskin journeyed to Danbury in March to compete in an inter-state dramatic contest.

At this time they presented the play called "The Command Performance."

The most outstanding change in the club this year has been the addition of an apprentice group, which enables Sock and Buskin to choose for permanent members those who have proved they have a real interest in dramatics.

The annual initiatory dance held at the Country Club in June brought the year's activities to a close.







## PAINT AND POWDER

*First Row:* E. Adamy, S. Nichols, M. Spillane, J. Brown, C. McCormick, C. Beckwith, B. A. Moorhouse, M. Bantly, R. Gordon, D. Carlson, I. Hampton, L. Peperitis, F. Benevento.  
*Second Row:* Miss McGuire, M. Shields, B. Murphy, B. Gerlac, S. Fraser, P. Fagan, J. Boyd, D. Dwyer, P. Butler, P. Dowd, S. Tedford, B. Coleman, D. Chapin, D. Dougan, M. Smith, Miss Worth.  
*Third Row:* P. Skrabacz, J. Todd, B. McDonnell, B. Mosler, C. McVeigh, P. Noren, L. Gustafson, C. Daley, E. Anderson, A. Lee, V. Tiffany, V. Firato, G. Fisher, M. Marte, R. Beebe, M. Selwitz, M. Farris.  
*Fourth Row:* M. Krest, A. Biggerstaff, L. Schober, A. Ludwig, J. Finlay, E. Marks, R. Kevash, R. Hillman, S. Hagenow, C. Campbell, J. Park, C. Hill, W. Adamy, C. Reichenbach, R. Hermann, G. Hunt, R. Kurland, J. Firth.

This year, the fall try-outs for Paint and Powder, the Freshman-Sophomore Dramatic Club, brought forth such a large number of applicants that the membership was increased to seventy and Miss Anna McGuire was appointed to assist Miss Isabel Worth as faculty adviser. The initiation was held in November at a party in the High School Auditorium.

In December, several members presented a play entitled "The Christmas Voice," for the Business and Profes-

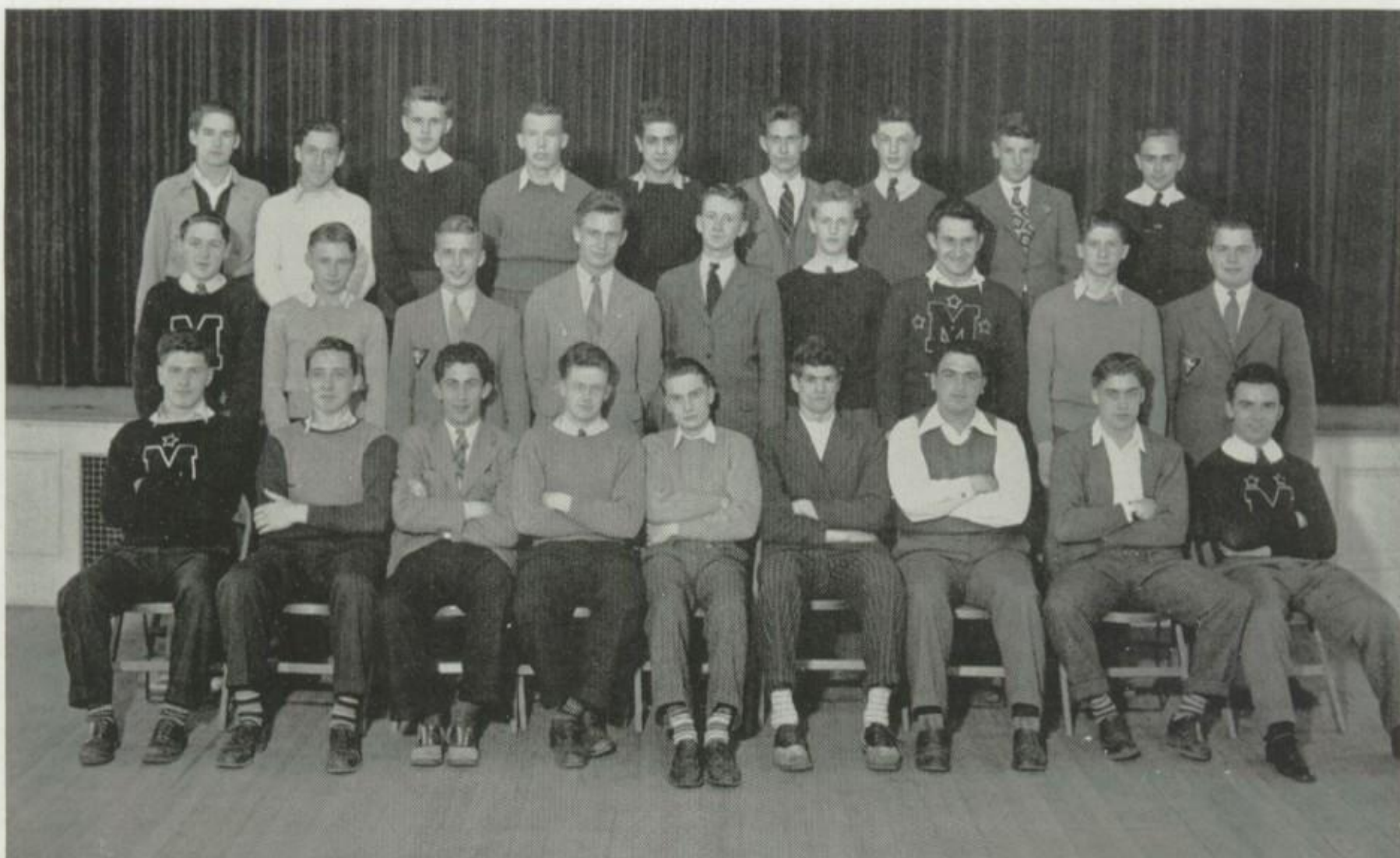
sional Women's Club at Center Congregational Church.

"At the Bend of the Road," a play about George Washington, was given as an assembly program in February. For its annual public performance, Paint and Powder presented four one-act plays: "A Midnight Fantasy," "Bedtime Stories," "Buddy Answers An Ad," and "The Tantrum."

A picnic closed a very successful year of Paint and Powder activities.







## HI-Y

*First Row:* B. Turkington, A. Wilkie, J. Bellis, S. Cutler, B. Macksey, M. Orfitelli, T. Iuliano, H. Buttery, H. Vaillant.

*Second Row:* J. Breen, T. Cummings, E. Fisher, P. Finkbein, R. Johnston, A. Benson, A. Litvinchuk, R. Cole, J. Knight.

*Third Row:* J. Lautenbach, J. Civiello, J. Mrosek, E. Earle, H. Orfitelli, M. Weiss, J. Olson, H. Frey, R. Runde.

Under the able leadership of Mr. George Potterton, Manchester High School's Hi-Y Club enjoyed one of its most successful years.

The purpose of the Hi-Y Club is to maintain and extend throughout the school and community high standards of Christian character. In following out the purpose of the club, the Hi-Y boys assisted in the Christmas Seal Drive, the Boy Scout banquet, and other community functions.

Donations are made annually to the Hartford County Y. M. C. A. and the President's Birthday Ball. In the course of the year, gifts were sent to Hi-Y boys

who were ill and unable to attend school.

As in previous years, the Hi-Y Club rented from the S. A. A., the checking and refreshment concessions at the home basketball games. This season has been one of the most successful years that the Hi-Y Club has had at the stand.

One of the outstanding meetings of the Hi-Y Club was a "Sports Night" with the school officials, coaches, and team captains as guests. Other meetings were held at which teachers and other civic leaders gave interesting talks.

The annual outing, held by the Hi-Y Club at Camp Woodstock in June, gave great enjoyment to each member present.







## BIOLOGY CLUB

*First Row:* A. Postma, A. Pesce, R. Klein, A. Burke, D. Dougan, E. Tamosaitis, T. Blanchard, H. Leone, G. Della Fera, W. Moorhouse, Y. Vince, D. Hennequin, A. Kosinski, P. Peabody, Miss Carr.

*Second Row:* D. Silverstein, A. Lee, V. Krause, C. Botticello, I. Accornero, S. Breen, J. Pesce, P. Gowdy, A. Phelps, E. Meacham, M. Bantly, M. Nimerowski.

*Third Row:* L. Raccagni, E. Olsen, G. Nealey, M. Durkee, R. Johnson, J. Knight, D. McCabe, R. Chambers, M. Krest, E. Woodhouse, M. Ferris.

*Fourth Row:* W. Cheney, F. Mansfield, R. Hillman, A. Bellucci, N. Allen, E. Marks, W. Barron, R. Brown, J. Park, A. Pavan, R. Helm, P. Turcotte, D. Preston.

*Fifth Row:* J. Turkington, J. Conlon, E. Cone, W. Messier, A. Tournaud, M. White, E. Smith.

Each year the Biology Club has become more appealing to the students. The membership has been increased to nearly sixty members. The success of the club was largely due to the splendid direction of Miss Dorothy Carr and to the coöperation of the club members.

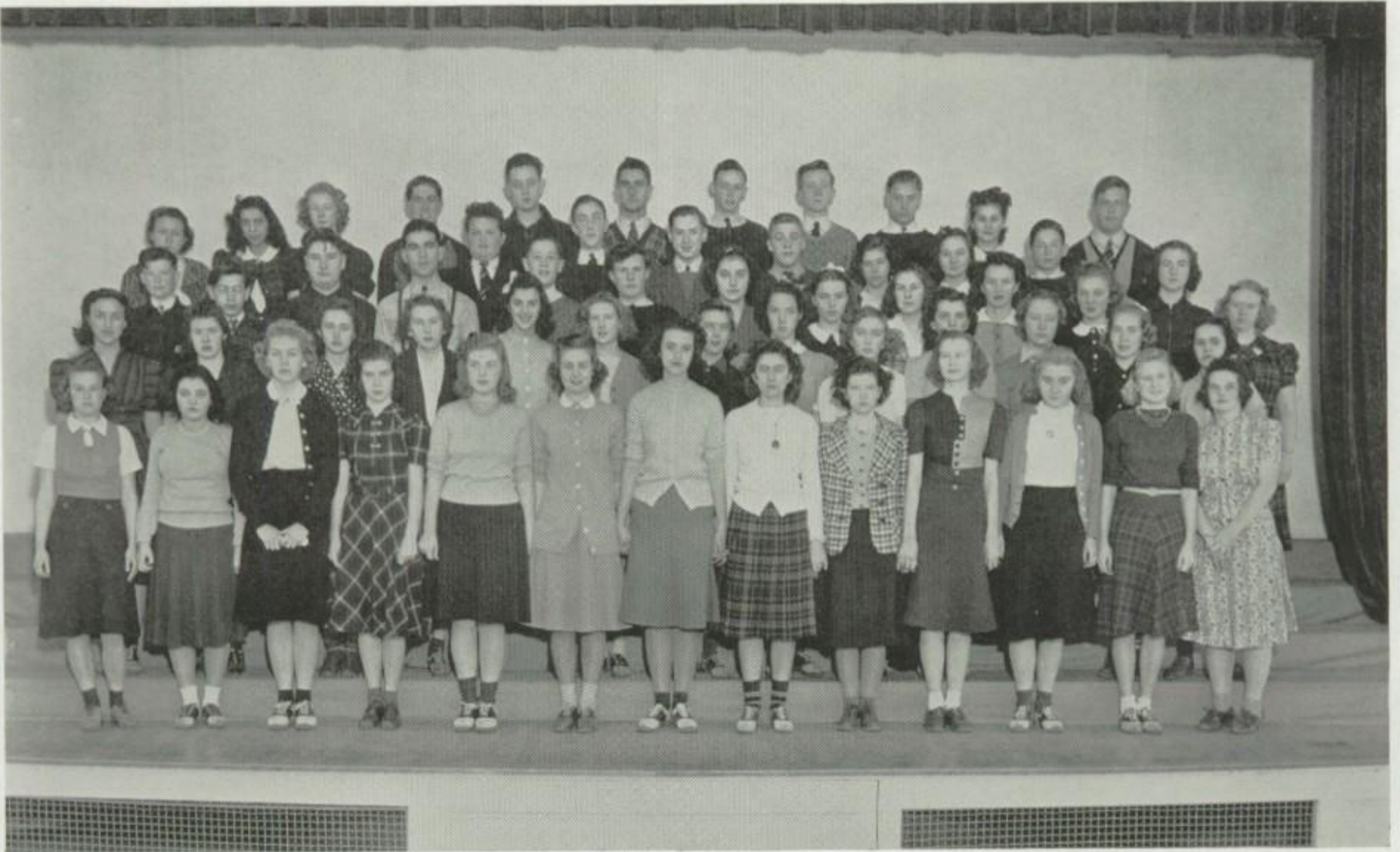
Many benefits were derived from instructive talks given by men who have specialized in their fields. Among those who visited the club were: Dr. Sundquist who talked on "Becoming a Doctor"; Dr. Moore about "Microbes";

Mr. Lathrop of State Forests concerning "Forests"; Mr. Quish on the subject of "Embalming"; Mr. Friend, State Entomologist, whose subject pertained to "Insects"; and Mr. Thorpe, Commissioner of the State Board of Fisheries and Game, who discussed "Nature Preservation."

One of the highlights of the year was a trip to Doctor Bushnell's dog hospital. The club also visited the Fire Tower at Glastonbury.







JUNIOR-SENIOR COMMERCIAL CLUB

## FRENCH CLUBS

To gain a "speaking knowledge" of French as well as a greater appreciation of the French civilization has been the aim of the French Clubs conducted under the efficient direction of Miss Low, Miss Todd, and Miss Kibbe.

The Junior-Senior French Club and both Freshman-Sophomore Clubs held two joint meetings. The Christmas party, and the showing of films taken by Miss Low in France a short time before the present European War made these meetings enjoyable.

The greater part of the meetings of

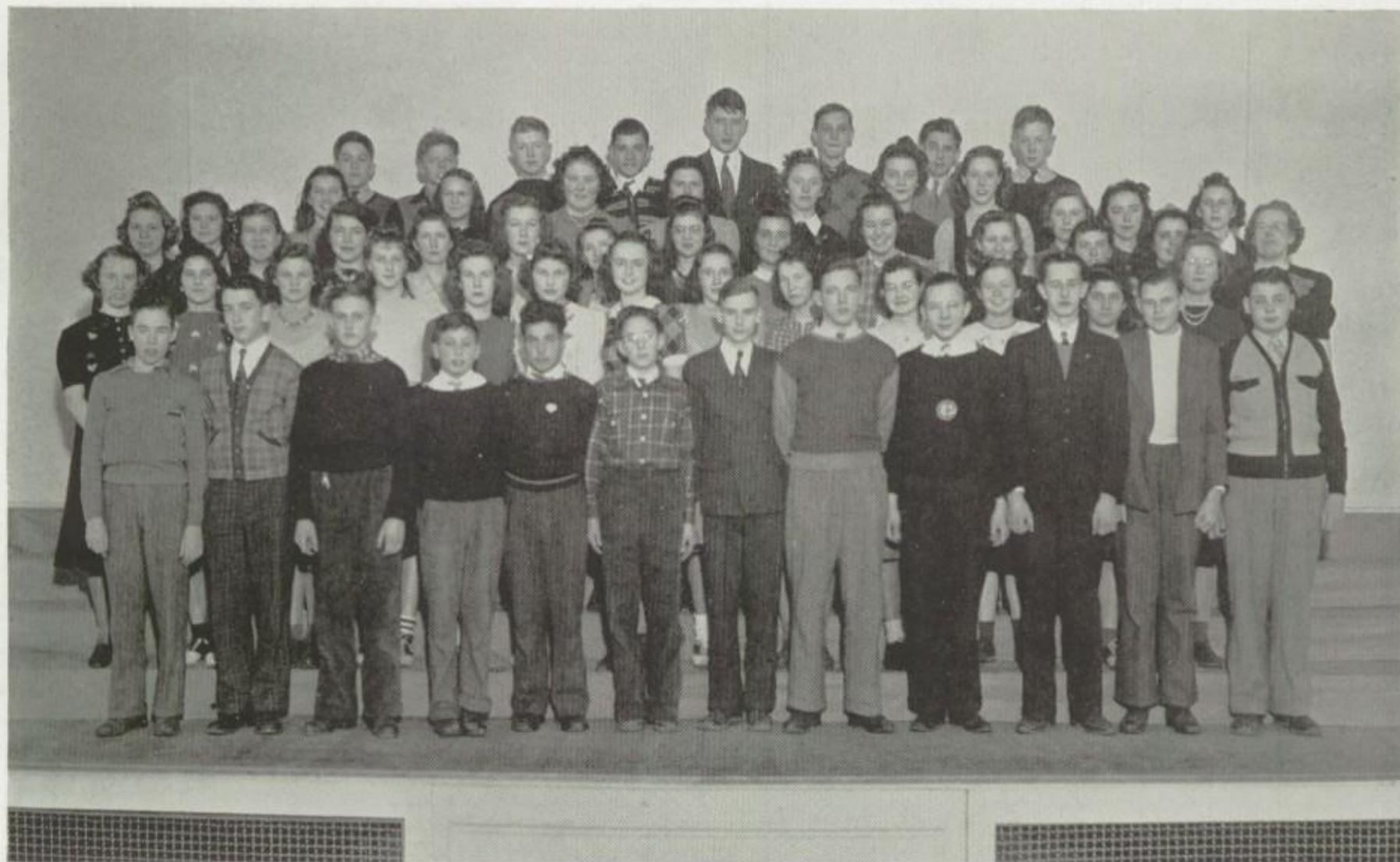
the Junior-Senior French Club were composed of French songs, games, charades, short sketches, discussions of customs, and Bingo was played to aid the members in improving their skill in numbers.

The French Clubs composed of Freshmen and Sophomores, occupied their time in French songs, plays, games, research work on French life, and famous personages such as Moliere, Victor Hugo, and Voltaire.

As a culmination of the year's work a picnic was held, as has been done for several years past.







SOPHOMORE FRENCH CLUB

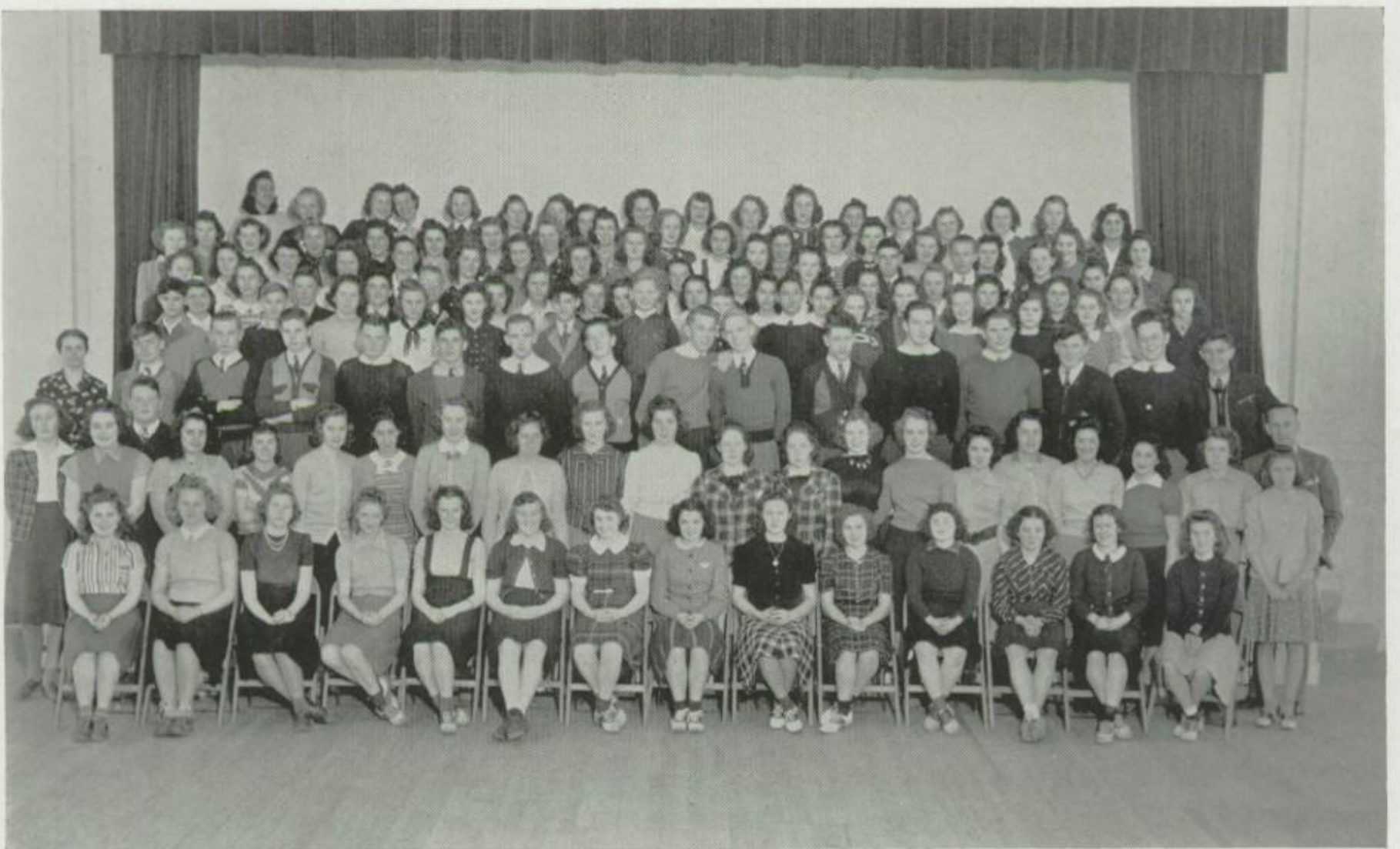


FRESHMAN FRENCH CLUB





JUNIOR-SENIOR COMMERCIAL CLUB



FRESHMAN-SOPHOMORE COMMERCIAL CLUB





SHORTHAND-TYPING CLUB

## COMMERCIAL CLUBS

The Commercial Club has completed another very successful season. The club, because of its large membership, has been divided into four groups: Freshman - Sophomore, Junior - Senior, Shorthand Speed, and Typing Speed.

Movies, question bees, and speakers were included in the program. Miss Georgia Greenaway, a new faculty member, gave a talk on comparison of our school with another, and stressing such points as the school newspaper, courses, and clubs.

Miss Gertrude Oberempt spoke to the

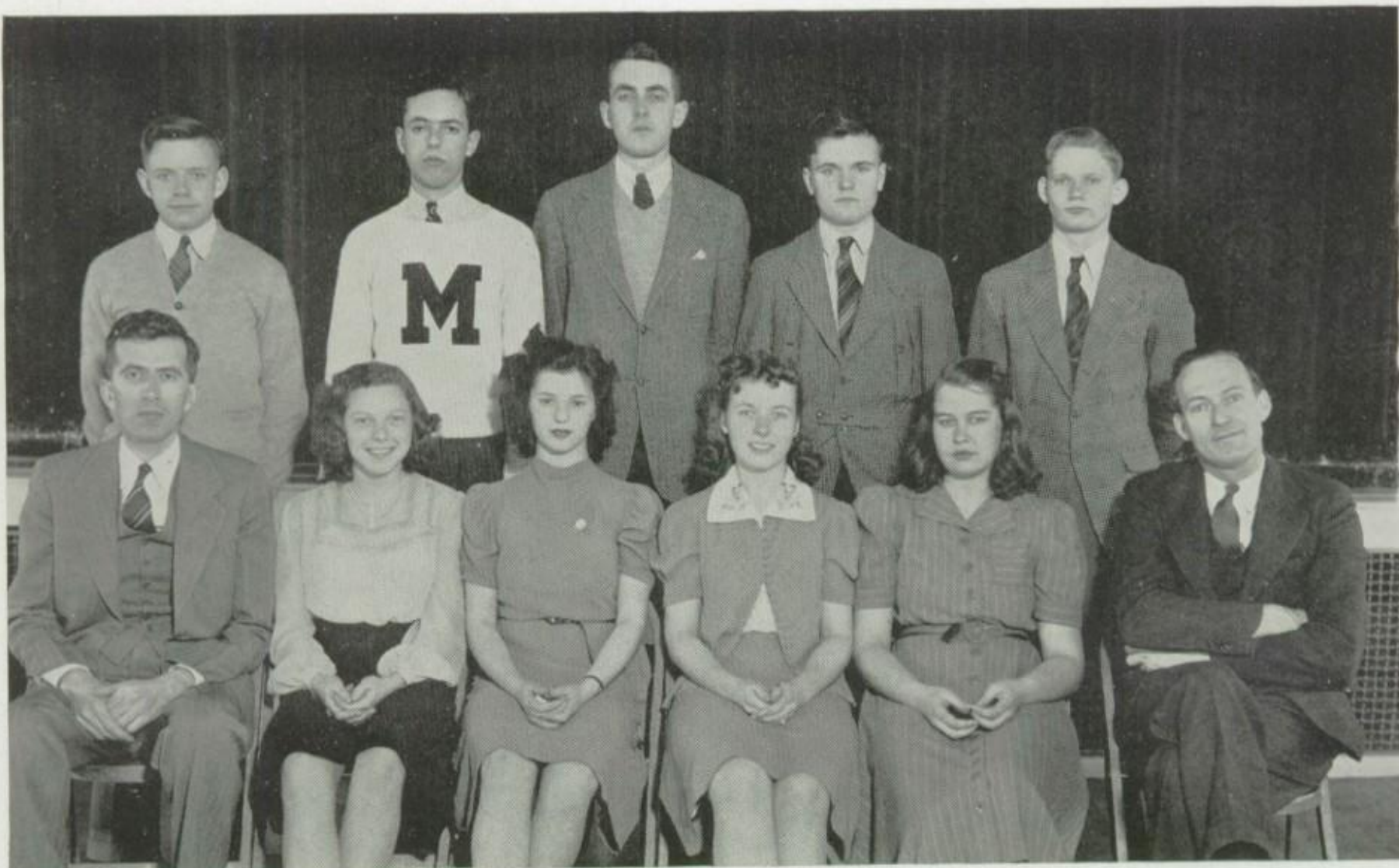
club, her topic being "How to Get a Job," with much emphasis on "How to Keep a Job."

A "Personality Clinic" was held and designed to give the Commercial Club members the viewpoints of others concerning their personality.

The Commercial Club sponsored a "get-together" social held in the earlier part of the school year, with about 175 students attending. Many games were played and refreshments were served. The remainder of the evening was spent in dancing.







## DEBATING

*First Row:* Mr. Dougherty, E. Struff, B. Vendrillo, L. Tanner, J. Brown, Mr. Hartwell.  
*Second Row:* H. Straw, A. Werbner, R. McCormick, J. Murphy, E. Weden.

For the first time in its history, the Debating Club presented a formal debate to the entire student body. The national scholastic topic of the year was Resolved: That the Federal Government Should Own and Operate the Railroads.

This topic was studied early in the year by holding inter-club debates. The annual Connecticut Debating Clinic held at New Britain High School on December 19th saw two Manchester teams in action in a no-decision debate against East Hartford.

A week later Manchester won its first judged debate against New Britain gaining two 3-0 decisions.

Windsor was the next victim to lose

two 3-0 verdicts to the Red and White team. Plainville then felt the power of Mr. George Dougherty's debaters when Manchester gained two more 3-0 decisions.

A Freshman Debating Club was organized by Mr. David Hartwell. This club held many interesting inter-club debates on subjects requiring less formal research. Mr. Hartwell also assisted Mr. Dougherty in preparing the varsity squad for their debates.

On the State Tournament debates, Manchester's negative team defeated Enfield 3-0 but the affirmative dropped a close decision of 1-2 to Hartford Public High School.








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## LIBRARY CLUB

*First Row:* A. Kurys, W. Kosinski, C. McVeigh, G. Sapienza, B. Clay, E. Weir, B. Kristoff, R. McCallister.

*Second Row:* F. Lupashino, F. Wyllie, B. Strange, P. Ferris, D. Payne, A. Della Fera, V. Whitham, B. Snow, Miss Fox.

*Third Row:* L. Birnie, S. Martin, M. McCartan, J. Converse, E. McKenna, D. Flaherty, G. Vilga.

Library Club, one of the more recent organizations established at Manchester High School, enjoyed a successful year with a membership of some 35 students. In this organization, members are taught how to use the library correctly and to be student librarians.

Under their faculty adviser, Miss Fox, the club sponsored a book-week contest, and also a tag day, the latter

for the purpose of buying new books.

The club was fortunate to have as speakers, Miss French of the Mary Cheney Library, and Mrs. Shearer of the Whiton Memorial Library. Both speakers gave very interesting talks on different phases of library work. At Christmas, the club enjoyed a party. The club closed a very entertaining and educational year with a picnic in June.







## HOME ECONOMICS CLUB

*First Row:* C. Botticello, M. Mosaicata, D. Popoff, H. Bowen, S. Dubashinski, E. Johnson, J. Polyott, D. Reider, L. Smyth, E. Reider.  
*Second Row:* Miss Anderson, F. Buckler, L. House, H. Harrington, B. White, D. Vennart, M. Huot, I. Heritage, J. Crockett, M. Ferris, N. Goodwin, Miss Gillette.  
*Third Row:* E. Gibbon, I. Jenack, R. Naven, I. Dougan, H. Lebiedz, E. Meacham, E. Smith, A. Staum, M. Moriarty, A. Swetz.  
*Fourth Row:* B. Sadrozinski, E. Samuelson, H. Sibrinz, S. Poharski, H. Uzupes, I. Opalach, S. Godleski, V. Zelonis, R. Custer, E. Zelonis.  
*Fifth Row:* R. Patten, E. Heatley, F. Shea, V. Partyka, M. Durkee, B. Simons, L. Andisio, F. Taylor.

The Home Economics Club under the supervision of Miss Dorothy Anderson and Miss Charlotte Gillette, is a newly formed club in our school this year. The club consists of about fifty members.

The purpose of the club is principally based on the development of personality. The aim of the club this year was to purchase books for the school library

that pertained to personality.

The program throughout the year consisted of several interesting speakers: Miss Marion Tinker spoke to the club about budgets; Miss Evelyn Smyth's subject was hair styles and the use of make-up; Miss Charlotte Gove told about the activities in the 4-H Clubs. These subjects were enjoyed by all the members of the club.







## CHESS CLUB

*First Row:* H. Straw, M. Olson, J. Tournaud, N. Koster, E. Weden.

*Second Row:* W. Moseley, F. Buckland, W. Daniels, G. Capwell, D. Grimason, Mr. Eichman.

*Third Row:* A. Cleveland, J. Stevenson, R. McCormick, J. Murphy, J. Biggerstaff.

The Chess Club was one of the new clubs formed during 1939-40. The club was organized during the first weeks of the school year when Mr. Clarence B. Eichman became the club adviser. The club held meetings in the Physics Laboratory on Thursday mornings. A tournament was arranged among club members to determine members of a team.

A chess meet was held between Manchester High and Hartford Public High

on February seventh in which Manchester gained a moral victory by holding the powerful Hartford team to one game won, one lost, and three games drawn when the time limit expired. Manchester won its next victory by the default of the Weaver High School, who cancelled a return match. The Manchester club planned for a meet with Loomis Institute and Bulkeley High School of Hartford.





# SOMANHIS EVENTS

1915-1940

- 1915 During the fall an editorial board was organized to prepare the first school magazine. The idea for the first issue was originated by the principal, Mr. John Backus and carried through for the greater part by Miss Fannie Rexford, the Junior-Senior English instructor. Miss Gladys Keith suggested the title SOMANHIS from the words—"South Manchester High School."
- 1915 The Franklin Building was erected for the use of Trade School pupils.
- 1915-16 The joint editors of the first *Somanhis Events* were Priscilla Crosby and Clifford Gorman.
- 1916 "In the first few months of 1916, as we see the smoke of battle settling thickly over Europe and hear the rumbling of war on our own southwestern border, we think of the vast amount of history that is in the making."
- 1916 There were 392 students enrolled with a faculty of 15 members.
- 1916 The first issue of *Somanhis Events* contained an article "South Manchester High School—The Past" and in this it is learned that in June, 1896, there was a class of six pupils in the first graduating class.
- 1916 From an essay entitled: "How I Keep Safe on Roads and Streets"—  
"When entering a car, if there is any choice, I should take a middle seat. This will protect me in case the car should be struck, for the middle is more likely to remain undamaged."
- 1916-17 Ronald Ferguson was editor of the first Commencement issue of *Somanhis Events* and Robert E. Hathaway was business manager. Pictures of ten Seniors and appropriate quotations were placed on each page.
- 1917 Mid-year exams, the first ever held in South Manchester High School, were given January 31st, February 1st, and 2nd.
- 1917 "A telephone has been installed on the second floor in Principal Backus' office."
- 1917 Four issues of *Somanhis Events* were published.
- 1917 "Have U Bought Your Liberty Bond of the Second Liberty Loan?"
- 1917 "*Somanhis Events* had a basketball team—played two games and won both."
- 1921 Article on bobbed hair—"It surely is a sad fate. But cheer up girls—by 1940 you will again possess your golden locks."
- 1923 "One Hundred Years Old is this town. . . . The Pageant . . . a thousand participants. . . . Manchester is a town of progress and advancement . . . forty thousand people viewed it."
- 1925 The Freshmen were transferred from the Main Building to the Franklin Building.
- 1930 The title of our school paper was changed to *Somanhis*.
- 1932 "The student body assembled at Educational Square to welcome the Lord Mayor and Lady Mayoress Titt of Manchester, England. The town was presented with a plaque which had been carved by hand from a solid oak which grew in Manchester, England."
- 1933-34 The *High School World*, a semi-weekly publication appearing in the Manchester Evening Herald supplanted the three literary issues of the *Somanhis*. One issue of *Somanhis*, the Commencement number, was published.
- 1935A The first mid-year class was graduated from Manchester High School.
- 1938 The class set a precedent by holding its Class Picnic at Moodus.
- 1940 Sixteen hundred and fifty-two students were enrolled with a faculty membership of fifty-three.
- 1940 A pay telephone was installed on the ground floor of the Main Building for the benefit of the students.
- 1940 A portrait of Mr. F. A. Verplanck, Teacher—Principal—Superintendent from 1893 to 1935, was unveiled.





# SPORTS







## FOOTBALL

*First Row:* H. Frey, T. Cherubini, P. Finkbein, J. DeSimone, A. Iuliano, C. Blanchard, A. Dupont, H. Conn, C. Maron, J. Breen.  
*Second Row:* Mr. Hurlburt, R. Nicola, R. McCabe, F. Murdock, J. Spencer, J. Hultine, R. Lorch, D. McCabe, R. Brown, D. Galli, Mr. Kelly.  
*Third Row:* J. Coburn, T. Blanchard, J. Tedford, W. Keeney, J. McDowell, R. McCabe, C. McCollum, J. Bellis, A. Vincek, R. Thomas, R. Skinner, M. Ginolfi.

Manchester High School's football team enjoyed a fairly successful season. The team was again coached by Mr. Thomas Kelly, ably assisted by Mr. Hurlburt and Mr. Stevens.

Manchester won two games, lost three, and tied one. The Red and White achieved victories over Leavenworth and West Hartford while losing to Bristol, Meriden, and East Hartford. Two highlights of the season were the vic-

tory over Leavenworth High of Waterbury in a night game at Mt. Nebo, and the scoreless tie with the heavily favored Middletown team. The squad suffered considerably throughout the year due to injuries and eligibility rules.

With ten lettermen returning next fall, the team should have a very successful campaign. A newcomer on the schedule next season will be Weaver High of Hartford.








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## CROSS COUNTRY

*First Row:* J. Olson, J. DiMinico, R. Doggart, R. Duke, J. Cervini.  
*Second Row:* Mr. Wigren, R. Cotter, A. Litvinchyk, R. Odermann, G. Thrall.

The Hill and Dale squad from Manchester was not able to live up to the reputation established by former teams of Coach Charles Wigren, but this year's team fought just as valiantly as any championship cross country group has ever done.

The Red and White team hung up two victories against four defeats. Bristol and the University of Connecticut Freshmen provided Manchester with its two victories.

The Silk City was defeated by Hartford Public High School, Weaver, Middletown, and New Britain. Manchester lost the Middletown meet by one point and experienced trouble on the difficult New Britain course.

At the state meet held at Wesleyan, Manchester placed seventh, while at the State Invitation Meet held at Storrs, the Red and White placed fifth.







## SOCCER

*First Row:* W. Vancour, E. Calvert, H. Valliant, J. Lautenbach, L. Torstenson, E. Scott, E. Kennedy.

*Second Row:* Mr. W. Reed, R. Irwin, R. Simpson, E. Bucher, E. Donahue, T. Conran, T. Wilson, L. McVeigh.

*Third Row:* W. Cone, P. Humphrey, R. Pratt, J. Kleinschmidt, E. Anderson, M. Krest, J. Park, H. Klein.

The Manchester High School soccer team, under the direction of their new coach, Mr. Wilmot Reed, high-lighted its season by tying Bristol for the Central Connecticut Interscholastic League championship. Manchester, in the C. C. I. L. race, finished second by virtue of two victories, two defeats, and two tie games.

In the entire season, Manchester finished with two wins, four losses, and two tie games. The highlights of the season were two games played in Man-

chester in which the Red and White booters handed Meriden a 2-1 defeat and whitewashed West Hartford 2-0.

The team was aided greatly by the assistance of Mr. Milbury, who coached the team last year, and who helped Mr. Reed during the first few weeks of the season. The team will be hard hit by graduation and enrollment in the trade school of several of their players. Eight veterans will return next year to form the nucleus for the team.







## BASKETBALL

*First Row:* Coach W. Clarke, J. Hilinski, A. Zamaitis, C. Blanchard, T. Davis, A. Vincek, F. Weir.  
*Second Row:* F. Dancosse, F. Murdock, H. Conn, J. Kleinschmidt, R. Cole, H. Buttery.

The Red and White hoopsters battled to an even break in the eighteen games on their regular schedule in the 1939-40 season. Under Coach Wilfred J. Clarke's able tutelage, the team defeated West Hartford, East Hartford, Meriden, and Middletown twice, also defeating Deering High School of Maine. The victory revenged the defeat suffered at the hands of the Maine team the previous year.

During the year, Manchester was defeated twice by the Bristol, Torrington, and Windham teams. Manchester

Trade School, the Alumni, and Bulkeley High School of New London also overcame the Silk City five.

The team reached its height in mid-season when it achieved four straight victories. The Clarkites entered the State Tournament but were overcome by Bassick who went on to win the State Tournament.

The fighting spirit and the courage of the team was very evident in all the games which caused the defeats to be close, exciting struggles.







## TRACK TEAM

*First Row:* D. Grimison, J. McConville, W. Carney, J. Cervini, A. Benson, R. Ordermann, N. Allan, A. Bellucci, S. Cutler, S. Atkinson, G. Evans.  
*Second Row:* E. McCann, C. Campbell, H. Midford, E. Fisher, J. DiMinico, J. Olson, E. Millhouse, Turkington, J. Daley, E. Earle, G. Eggleston, C. Warren, U. House.  
*Third Row:* E. Brown, D. Phelps, R. Duke, R. Helm, G. Malon, R. Perkins, Mr. Wigren, A. Downing, D. McCabe, J. Doggart, H. Manning, H. Fay.

The 194 Manchester High School track team was unusual in that its members were nearly all underclassmen. The predominance of Freshman and Sophomore talent in the squad assures a fine team in the future.

In the current season, the first meet in which the Red and White engaged was the State Indoor Meet held at Wesleyan. Manchester placed seventh

in a group of eighteen schools. The team gained most of its points in the high jump and in the relay races.

Next the team went to the Connecticut State Relays, where, according to unofficial scoring, they took third place.

In the first triangle meet, Manchester defeated a favored Hartford Public High School 53-42, and also overcame Bristol 53-42.







## SWIMMING

*First Row:* A. Litvinchyk, E. Earle, R. Turkington, P. Finkbein, M. Orfitelli, E. McNeill, R. Schaller.

*Second Row:* Mr. Gatchell, Coach, E. Fischer, H. Tenney, R. Pratt, F. Wilson, E. Walleit, J. Doggart, H. Orfitelli.

The 1939-40 swimming team had a fairly successful season. Manchester High's swimming team, coached by Mr. Nathan B. Gatchell, compiled a record of six victories over four losses. The Manchester High natators achieved victories over Weaver, Meriden, New Haven, West Haven, along with two wins over Bristol while bowing to Crosby of Waterbury, Hartford, Bassick and the University of Connecticut Freshmen.

Manchester was successful in the

state individual meet, with one of its swimmers placing second in the diving, and third in the backstroke. Manchester also placed third in the 150-yard individual medley.

A new backstroke record was established after breaking the old mark four different times during the course of the year. A new record was also established in the 160-yard medley relay.

Seven returning veterans make the outlook for next year appear very bright.







## BASEBALL

*First Row:* M. Genolfi, D. Galli, H. Vaillant, A. Hutchinson, C. Blanchard, R. Pratt, M. Weiss, W. Davidson, E. Calvert.

*Second Row:* Mr. Kelley, J. Bellis, R. Skinner, A. Zamaitis, J. Tedford, L. Katkavack, F. Murdock, K. Chapman, C. Nicola.

*Third Row:* Stevenson, T. Martin, R. Thomas, Z. Olbert, A. Vincek, F. Mohr, A. Raffa, F. Dancosse, T. Cummings.

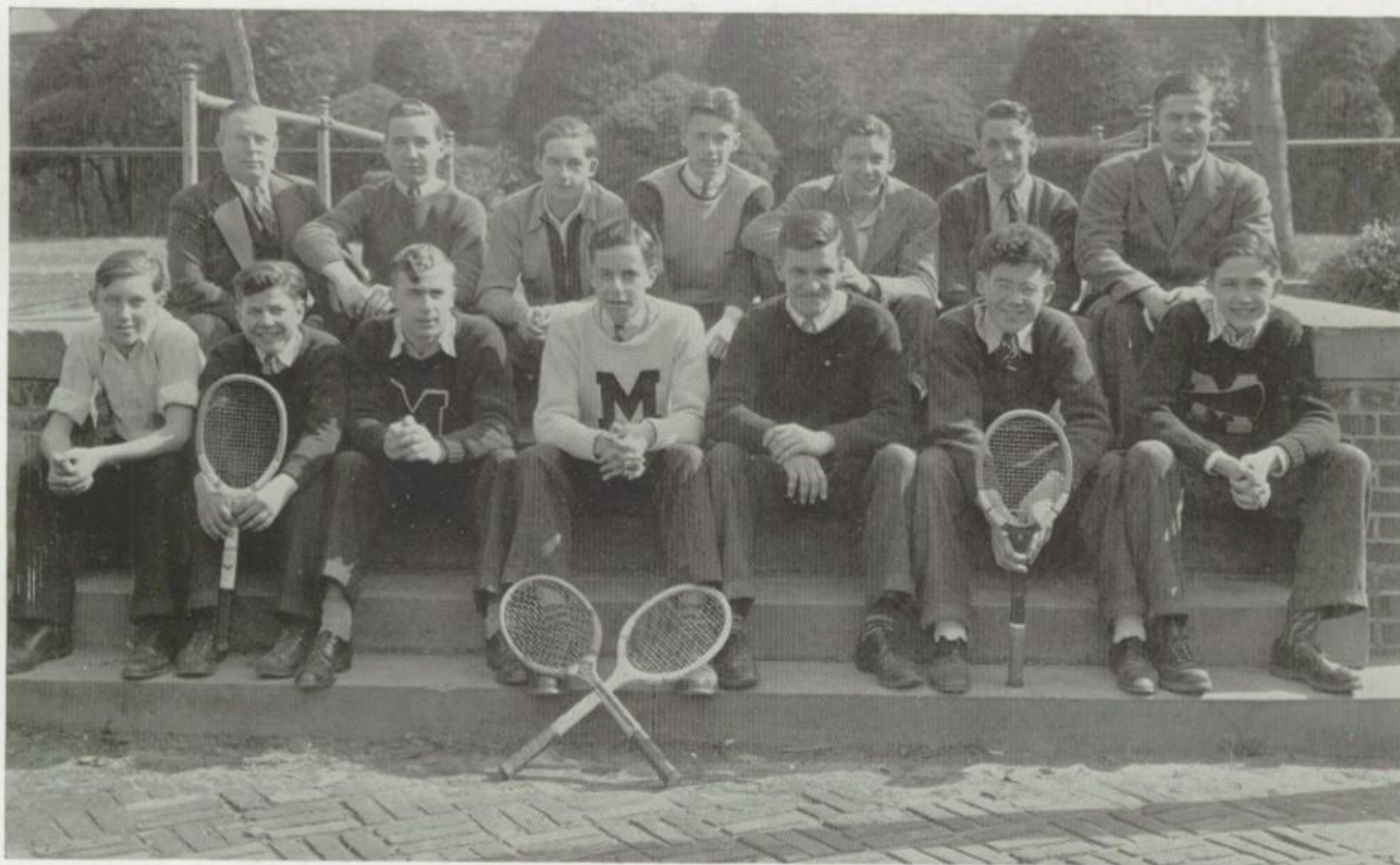
The Manchester High School team was hindered by unfavorable weather in its practice sessions. All the games this year took place during the month of May. A veteran battery was the only returning unit to the team, but many new recruits gave promise of a successful season.

The first game, played with the Alum-

ni, was held to give the team practice. William Hall High School of West Hartford handed the Red and White ball players their first defeat by winning 2-1. The Trade School gave the High School their second loss by winning 4-3. The Manchester team gained a 7-2 victory over Middletown and continued a winning streak with a victory over East Hartford High 10-4.







## GOLF AND TENNIS

*First Row:* E. Bolinsky, P. Correnti, J. Urbanetti, A. Werbner, B. Aliczi, P. Aceto, H. Turkington.

*Second Row:* Mr. Wright, A. Wilkie, J. Lautenbach, E. Buckland, A. Custer, J. Civello, Mr. Reed.

The Manchester High golf team, hampered by a late spring, had played only two golf matches up to May 9th. In the first match, Manchester decisively beat Hartford High by a sixteen to two victory. In the second match our golf team defeated Newington High School by the score of 11-7. Newington won the State Championship last year. This was their first defeat in twenty-three matches. With this excellent start, our golf team will undoubtedly be one of the best teams in the state.

The tennis team had played but one match up to May 9th, losing to Middletown four to one. Despite this

defeat, prospects for the season have been extremely good.

The schedule for the golf and tennis teams was as follows:

The golf team played one match with the following:

Newington	Bulkeley
Farmington	New Britain
State Tournament	

The golf team played two matches each with the following:

Hartford	Weaver
West Hartford	Bristol

The tennis team played two matches each with the following:

West Hartford	Meriden
Bristol	Middletown







## LEADERS CLASS

*First Row:* M. Wurtz, A. Olson, H. Wippert, L. Tanner, P. Chartier, P. Southwick, A. Lewis, B. Mack, B. Kleinschmidt, B. Vendrillo, D. Dilworth, M. Jillson.  
*Second Row:* M. Cordera, R. McSherry, D. Hennequin, L. Smith, A. Barry, D. Squatrito, E. Carlson, R. Carlson, D. McNeil, E. Dewart, F. Harworth, D. Silverstein.  
*Third Row:* E. Senkbeil, E. Person, S. Sokolowska, L. Kleinschmidt, R. Balmer, M. Turek, V. Eccellente, M. McCarten, K. McCoee, D. England, Miss McRae.

The girls' sports program, under the leadership of Miss Violet McRae, was made up of many activities including hockey, soccer, basketball, and swimming. This year, instead of the former Blue and White teams, the teams were made up from all the classes. From these teams, the Varsity, or best all-around team, was chosen for each sport.

An unusually large number of girls participated in the annual sports and also

in the new sports introduced this year—badminton, ping pong, and bowling.

The Leaders Class held parties for the new members at the beginning of the year and again at the mid-year.

Members of the club attended a play-day at East Hartford and held a swimming play-day at Manchester High School.

The entire program for the year was extremely enjoyable and educational.







## HOCKEY

E. Senkbeil, D. Aspinwall, A. Lewis, P. Southwick, M. Jillson, L. Kleinschmidt, N. Brock, L. Tanner, M. Cordera, L. Hyde, R. McSherry, Miss McRae.



## SOCCER

*First Row:* Reider, M. Jillson, M. Cordera, F. Harworth, D. Dilworth.  
*Second Row:* E. Senkbeil, A. Staum, N. Brock, D. Silverstein, F. Salmonsens, B. Mack, E. Dewart.  
*Third Row:* A. Lewis, Miss McRae, L. Tanner.



# ATHLETIC SUMMARY

## CROSS COUNTRY

	M. H. S.	Opponents
Univ. of Conn. Freshmen	26	29
Hartford	30	25
Bristol	17	38
Middletown	28	27
Weaver	33	22
New Britain	34	21
State Meet—Wesleyan—seventh		
State College Meet—fifth		

## SOCCER

	M. H. S.	Opponents
South Windsor	0	5
Meriden	2	1
Bristol	3	4
West Hartford	2	0
South Windsor	0	6
Meriden	0	2
Bristol	2	2
West Hartford	1	1
Won 2—Lost 4—Tied 2.		

## BASKETBALL

	M. H. S.	Opponents
Alumni	19	39
West Hartford	35	23
Bristol	16	40
East Hartford	28	24
Torrington	22	27
Meriden	35	27
Deering	25	12
Middletown	25	24
West Hartford	40	30
Windham	26	33
Bristol	25	27
Windham	29	36
Trade School	18	19
Meriden	25	12
East Hartford	33	32
Middletown	31	12
Torrington	36	44
New London Bulkeley	37	41

State Tourney		
Bassick	31	47
Won 9—Lost 10.		

## SWIMMING

	M. H. S.	Opponents
Hartford High	23	52
Bristol	42	33
Crosby	21	54
New Haven	37	38
West Haven	44	31
Bassick	37	38
Meriden	43	33
Weaver	47	19
Univ. Conn. Freshmen	25	50
Bristol	48	17

State Meet—fifth  
Won 5—Lost 5.  
(Meets to May 9)

## TRACK

	M. H. S.	Opponents
Track Indoor Meet	M Seventh	
Hartford	53	42
Bristol	53	42
Won 2—Lost 0.		

## GOLF

	M. H. S.	Opponents
Hartford	16	2
Won 1—Lost 0.		
(Matches to May 9)		

## BASEBALL

	M. H. S.	Opponents
West Hartford	1	2
Trade School	2	4
Middletown	7	2
East Hartford	10	4
Won 2—Lost 2.		

## TENNIS

	M. H. S.	Opponents
Middletown	1	4
Won 0—Lost 1.		
(Matches to May 9)		

## FOOTBALL

Leavenworth	12	6
Bristol	0	13
West Hartford	13	12
Meriden	0	13
Middletown	0	0
East Hartford	0	13
Won 2—Lost 2—Tied 1.		





## SPORT BRIEFS OF YESTERDAY AND TODAY

Sports in Manchester High School a quarter of a century ago were not so fully developed as the present activities of our school are today. In 1915, Manchester High had soccer, basketball, track, and baseball teams. Today, in addition to these sports we have football, swimming, cross-country, golf, and tennis teams.

In the course of twenty-five years, many fine records in sports have been established. The record for the high jump set in 1904 by John Pickles was 5 feet  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches, while today the record held by Wesley Palmer of the class of 1938 is 6 feet  $2\frac{3}{4}$  inches. The present discus record of 138 feet  $\frac{1}{4}$  inch, set by Elmo Gavello, as compared with 76 feet 5 inches set in 1908 by J. Horan, shows a marked increase in the skill of this sport.

The following quotations found in past issues of the *Somanhis* concerning sports may prove to be interesting as well as enlightening.

"After a lapse of over thirty years, football as a major sport was renewed in South Manchester High School. On September 13, 1923, Principal Quimby announced that a team to play this sport would be organized on the condition that members of the team or the student body finance the outfitting of such a team."

"Since the time when a player was injured while playing football with the High School in the late 90's, the sport was not recognized in this institution."

Have you ever heard of the "Manchester Independents?" An unusual experience brought about its organization. The basketball team of 1915-1916 planned a game with Windham High School. At this time the boys traveled by train to their games and it happened that the trains were considerably off schedule on the trip to Willimantic. Three Manchester players had made the trip by automobile and were prepared to play the game. Unfortunately, the remainder of the Manchester team failed to reach Willimantic, so the three Manchester boys borrowed two players from Windham and defeated Windham High under the name of the "Manchester Independents"!

The M. H. S. athletic teams may be proud of their many victories. In 1928 the M. H. S. football team showed its worth by defeating West Hartford 26-6 thus capturing the C. C. I. L. football championship. The football team again succeeded in capturing the championship in 1938.

The achievements of the years 1931-32 proved worth remembering because Manchester not only held the C. C. I. L. title for basketball, but swimming as well, and placed second in the state track meet.

Again in 1938 Manchester High School was victorious in capturing the Connecticut State basketball championship and the New England basketball championship.

The high school baseball teams have won three C. C. I. L. championships. In 1938 the baseball team was entered in the semi-finals and in 1938 the quarter-finals of the state tournaments.

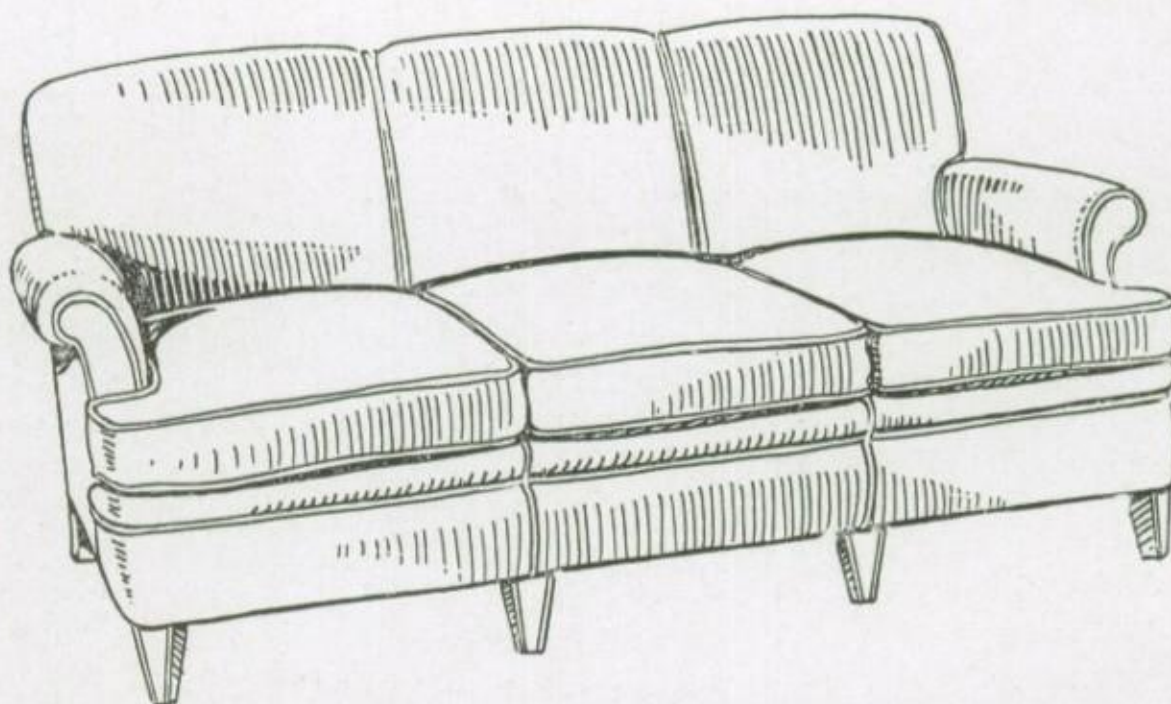
Since 1936 intramural basketball, softball, and baseball have become very popular with the students.

That Manchester High School has been outstanding in the field of sports can be seen by these records. A recent survey of the athletic record of the school showed that 28% of the boys play in intramural sports and 35% take part in inter-school sports. Of the girls, 17% play within school and 9% participated in play days with other schools.

Sports have always played an important part in the physical development of M. H. S. students. Sports are one of the chief interests and sources of recreation provided by the school together with the various cultural clubs.







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